# **EXHIBIT A**

# Cause No. 13-DCV-204362

# Arthur B. Brazil, II and Lorraine S. Brazil vs. Bank of America, N.A. In the 434<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Court of Fort Bend County, Texas

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PARTY INFORMATION

Defendant or Bank of America, N.A.

Respondent Dallas, TX 75201

Plaintiff or Petitioner

Brazil, Arthur B. II

Missouri City, TX 77459-6279

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Plaintiff or Petitioner

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#### FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Plaintiff or Petitioner Brazil, Arthur B. II

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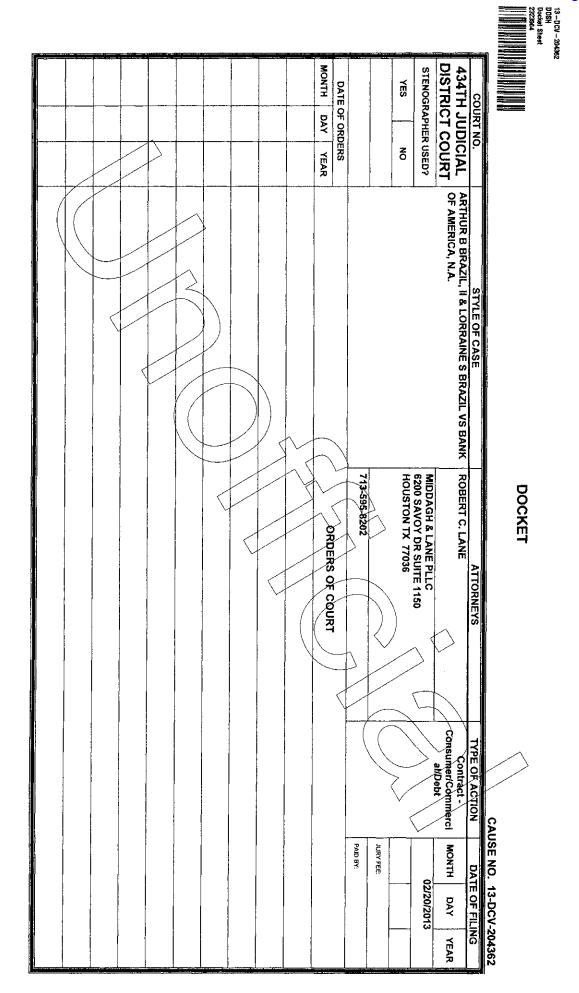
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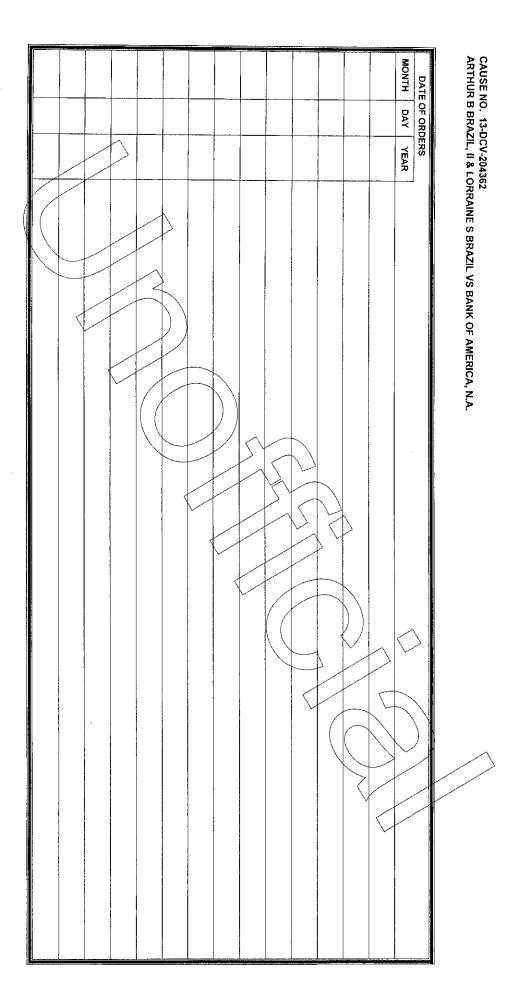
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ARTHUR B. BRAZIL, II & LORRAINE S. BRAZIL,

Plaintiffs,

BANK OF AMERICA, NA

Defendant.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF

FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

434 JUDICIAL DISTRICT

# ORIGINAL PETITION AND REQUEST FOR DISCLOSURES

# TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW, Arthur B. Brazil, II and Lorraine S. Brazil ("Brazils" or "Plaintiffs"), and files this Original Petition (the "Petition") complaining of Bank of America, N.A. ("BOA" or "Defendant") and would show the Court as follows:

# <u>Summary</u>

- Defendant has committed negligence and breach of contract in its failure to properly maintain accounting records, breach of contract for violations of the deed of trust, and violations of the Deceptive Trade Practices Act ("DTPA") and the Texas Finance Code § 392, more commonly known as the Texas Debt Collection Act ("TDCA").
- 2. Plaintiffs have repeatedly notified Defendant of their serious accounting errors and inconsistent reinstatement quotes. Additionally, Defendant breached the Deed of Trust by not giving proper notice of its intent to foreclose on Plaintiffs' property as mandated by the specific terms in the deed of trust and the requirements of the Texas Property Code.

- Oddly, the very next month, Defendant indicated Plaintiffs were current on the loan.

  Oddly, the very next month, Defendant indicated Plaintiffs were three to four months deficient on the loan and sought to foreclose despite no notice of default, or clarification of the accounting used to reach the deficiency amount. Plaintiffs have made diligent efforts to obtain proper accounting from Defendant, but to no avail. Despite Defendant's attempts seeking to foreclose, Plaintiffs have continued paying Defendant on the loan.
- In addition, for Defendants to have the power to foreclose, Defendants must satisfy the following conditions: (a) Defendant must be the current assignee of the Deed of Trust; (b) the Trustee conducting the foreclosure sale must have been appointed according to the terms of the Deed of Trust; (c) Plaintiff must have been given proper notice of the foreclosure sale; (d) notice of the foreclosure sale must have been preceded by notice that the underlying Note will be accelerated (as opposed to may be accelerated); (e) notice of acceleration must have been preceded by notice that the underlying Note was in default (and that Plaintiff had an opportunity to cure said default); and (f) that default on the underlying Note necessarily implies that Defendant must have been the holder of the underlying Note. Defendants did not satisfy one or more of these conditions. Thus, Defendants lack the authority to foreclose.

## DISCOVERY

Discovery should be conducted under Discovery Control Plan-Level 2, pursuant to TEX.
 R. Civ. P. 190.2.

## **PARTIES**

- 6. Plaintiffs own the property at 7206 Franciscan Court, Missouri City, Fort Bend County,

  Texas 77459.
- Defendant, Bank of America, N.A., was at all relevant times doing business in the state of Texas. Bank of America, N.A. is a foreign financial institution and may be served with process through its Registered Agent, C T Corporation System, 350 North Paul St., Dallas, Dallas County, TX 75201. Service is hereby requested.

## JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- The Court has jurisdiction over Defendant because Defendant does business in the State of Texas, including originating, servicing and/or owning loans, which necessarily involves contracting with Texas residents by mail or otherwise when at least one of the parties is to perform the contract in Texas. Further, Defendant's conduct giving rise to the causes of action as set forth herein occurred in whole or in part in Texas.
- 9. The damages sought in this action are within the jurisdictional limits of the court.
- Venue is proper in Fort Bend County, Texas as the suit involves real property located in Fort Bend County, Texas. Venue is proper under Tex. CIV. PRAC & REM. CODE ANN.

  Art. 15.002(a)(1) as Fort Bend County is where all or a substantial part of the events or omissions occurred.

## **FACTS**

Plaintiffs own the property at LOT FIFTEEN (15), IN BLOCK ONE (1), OF STENNA VILLAGE OF ANDERSON SPRINGS, SECTION SIX (6), A SUBDIVISION IN FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF

- RECORDED UNDER PLAT FILE NO. 2006020 OF THE PLAT RECORDS OF FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS, commonly referred to as 7206 Franciscan Court, Missouri City, Fort Bend County, Texas 77459 (the "Property").
- On or about July 27, 2007, a promissory note (the "Note" or "Mortgage Loan") and deed of trust (the "DOF" or "Mortgage") were executed in favor of Pulte Mortgage LLC ("Pulte" or "Original Lender"). See Exhibit A & B. Plaintiffs did not execute any other promissory notes or deeds of trust in connection with the Property.
- 13. BOA has asserted that it is the current holder of the Note and purportedly the DOT with authority to receive payments and to foreclose. See Exhibit C.

## Defendant has failed to properly account for the loan payments

- 14. On January 20, 2012 Plaintiffs received a Notice of Refund, where BOA refunded money due to an overcharging of fees. See Exhibit D. On March 16, 2012, Plaintiffs received their monthly loan statement from BOA showing Plaintiffs' would owe \$1,052.65, due on April 1, 2012, which is the regular home loan payment amount. See Exhibit E.
- 15. On May 21, 2012, Defendant initiated foreclosure proceedings against Plaintiff. See Exhibit F.
- 16. On December 12, 2012, Plaintiffs' counsel sent a demand letter to BOA notifying them of their serious errors in BOA's reinstatement quotes and wrongful acts involving the mortgage servicing of Plaintiffs' Property. See Exhibit G.

## Defendant never sent a Notice of Default

17. Defendant has not shown that Plaintiffs are in default on the underlying Note, nor has Defendant sent Plaintiffs a <u>current</u> Notice of Default in connection with the underlying

- Note. As previously mentioned, Defendant BOA acknowledged Plaintiffs were current on payments through April 2012.
- 18. In addition, Defendant offered a trial modification agreement to Plaintiffs. Plaintiffs accepted the agreement and made the payments pursuant to the terms of the trial loan modification. See Exhibits G, H, I, J.

## **CAUSES OF ACTION**

# Breach of Contract (Deed of Trust)

- 19. Paragraph 22 of the DOT states in part "Lender shall give notice to Borrower prior to acceleration following Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument... the notice shall specify: (a) the default; (b) the action required to cure the default; (c) a date, not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given to Borrower, by which the default must be cured; and d) that failure to eure the default on or before the date specified in the notice will result in acceleration of the sums secured by this Security Instrument and sale of the property." See Exhibit B, \$22.
- 20. Thus, Defendant has breached its agreement with Plaintiffs by failing to give a Notice of Default as required by Paragraph 22 of the DOT.
- 21. Plaintiffs have suffered damages as a result of Defendant's breach. Specifically, if Plaintiffs had been made aware of the default, at the beginning, Plaintiffs could have paid the alleged arrearage when the amount was still relatively small. Defendant's failure to notify Plaintiffs pursuant to the DOT has resulted in a higher arrearage amount, and increased fees, above and beyond what Plaintiffs would have faced if a Notice of Default had been given.

- 22. Furthermore, Texas Property Code, Section 51.002(d) states in part "Notwithstanding any agreement to the contrary, the mortgage servicer of the debt shall serve a debtor in default under a deed of trust or other contract lien on real property used as the debtor's residence with written notice by certified mail stating that the debtor is in default under the deed of trust or other contract lien and giving the debtor at least 20 days to cure the default before notice of sale can be given under Subsection (b)."
- 23. Defendant violated Section 51.002(d) by failing to provide Plaintiff with the requisite notice of default. Because Defendant failed to provide a notice of default as required under Section 51.002, they have also failed to give a notice of sale as required under subsection (b).
- 24. Because Defendant failed to meet the requirements to foreclose pursuant to Texas

  Property Code Section 51.002(a), which requires a notice of sale be given, Defendant has
  no authority to foreclose.

## Negligence

- 25. Defendant had a duty to properly maintain the accounting records for Plaintiffs' loan.
- 26. Defendant breached this duty by providing Plaintiffs with inconsistent, contradictory, and incorrect quotes regarding the amounts owed on the loan.
- 27. Plaintiffs have suffered damages as a result of Defendant's breach. Specifically, if Defendant had properly maintained the accounting records for Plaintiffs' loan, then various late fees, attorney fees, and miscellaneous charges, incurred due to payments incorrectly being refused by Defendant would have been avoided, as well as damage to Plaintiffs' credit.

# Deceptive Trade Practices (Laundry List)

- Deceptive Trade Practices Act ("DTPA") states: "A consumer may maintain an action where any of the following constitute a producing cause of economic damages or damages for mental anguish: the use or employment by any person of a false, misleading, or deceptive act or practice that is (A) specifically numerated in a subdivision of Subsection (b) of 17.46 of this subchapter; and (B) relied on by a consumer to the consumer's detriment."
- Section 17.45(4) of the DTPA defines a consumer as "an individual ... who seeks or acquires by purchase or lease, any goods or services ..." Plaintiffs are consumers under the DTPA because Plaintiffs are individuals who acquired a home by purchase.

  Alternatively, Plaintiffs acquired mortgage servicing services through the purchase thereof<sup>2</sup>.
- 30. Sections 17.46 (b) (12) of the DTPA states:

[T]he term "false, misleading, or deceptive acts or practices" includes, but is not limited to, the following act(s).

- (12) representing that an agreement confers or involves rights, remedies, or obligations which it does not have or involve, or which are prohibited by law.
- 31. Defendant represented to Plaintiffs that they have the right to force ose based on the Deed of Trust. Because Defendants did not follow the requirements under the Deed of Trust

A loan in connection with the purchase of a home is covered by the DTPA. Flenniken v. Longview Bank and Trust, 661 S.W.2d 705 (Tex. 1983).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Mortgage Servicer represented to Plaintiff that servicer had the right to collect payments and Plaintiff believed Mortgage Servicer. Mortgage Servicer received compensation from Plaintiff as a result of Mortgage Servicer retaining a percentage of Plaintiff's mortgage payments. Such compensation constitutes Plaintiff's purchase of services.

nor the Texas Property Code, Defendants' representation that the agreement (i.e., Deed of Trust) conferred upon them the right to foreclose was a violation of the DTPA. Defendant's conduct was a producing cause of economic damages incurred by Plaintiffs because had Plaintiffs not relied upon said representations (to Plaintiff's detriment), Plaintiffs would not have had to pay to obtain a temporary restraining order (e.g., posting bond and paying atterney's fees). Therefore, Defendant is liable to Plaintiffs according to Section 1746(b)(12) of the DTPA.

## Violation of Texas Debt Collection Act

- 32. Defendant is a debt collector as they regularly engage in debt collection of consumer debts that are due of alleged to be due by a creditor.
- 33. Defendant violated the Texas Finance Code § 392.301(a)(8) when Defendant made fraudulent, deceptive and misleading representations to collect a debt through foreclosure. Specifically, Defendant's threatened foreclosure without taking the requisite actions required under both the Deed of Trust and the Texas Property Code Section 51.002 et seq.
- 34. Defendant's wrongful conduct was committed against Plaintiffs.
- 35. Defendant's wrongful conduct caused injury to Rlaintiffs, which resulted in damages, including but not limited to posting bond and paying attorney's fees to stop foreclosure.

## CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

36. All conditions precedent to Plaintiffs' claim for relief have been performed or have occurred. If any condition precedent has not occurred or been performed. Plaintiffs

respectfully request those causes of action to be abated until such time as those conditions have occurred or been performed.

## STIPULATION

Plaintiffs stipulate that the damages in this action will be limited such that the amount in controversy (as that term is defined in 28 USCS § 1441) is less than \$75,000.

# REQUESTS FOR DISCLOSURES

Pursuant to Rule 194, TEX, R. Civ. P., Defendants are requests to disclose on or before fifty (50) days after service of this request, the information or material described in Rule 194.2(a), (b), (c), (d), (c), (f), (g), (h), and (i) of Tex. R. Civ. P.

# DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

39. Plaintiffs hereby demand a jury trial and will tender the requisite fee as required prior to trial.

# PRAYER FOR RELIEF

- 40. WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Plaintiffs pray that Defendants be cited to appear and answer, and the following order be entered:
  - a. declares that Defendant Bank of America, N.A. does not have the power of sale pursuant to the Deed of Trust;
  - b. Actual damages;
  - c. Statutory damages where applicable;
  - d. Treble damages where applicable;
  - e. Exemplary damages where applicable;

1. Reasonable and necessary attorneys' fees;

g. Prejudgment and post-judgment interest;

h. Costs of suit to be taxed against Defendants;

i. All other relief, in law and in equity, to which Plaintiffs may be justly entitled.

day of February 2013.

Respectfully submitted this

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## **EXHIBITS**

Exhibit A - Note

Exhibit B - DOT

Exhibit C-FC Notice

Exhibit D - Notice of Refund

Exhibit E - April 2012 Monthly Statement

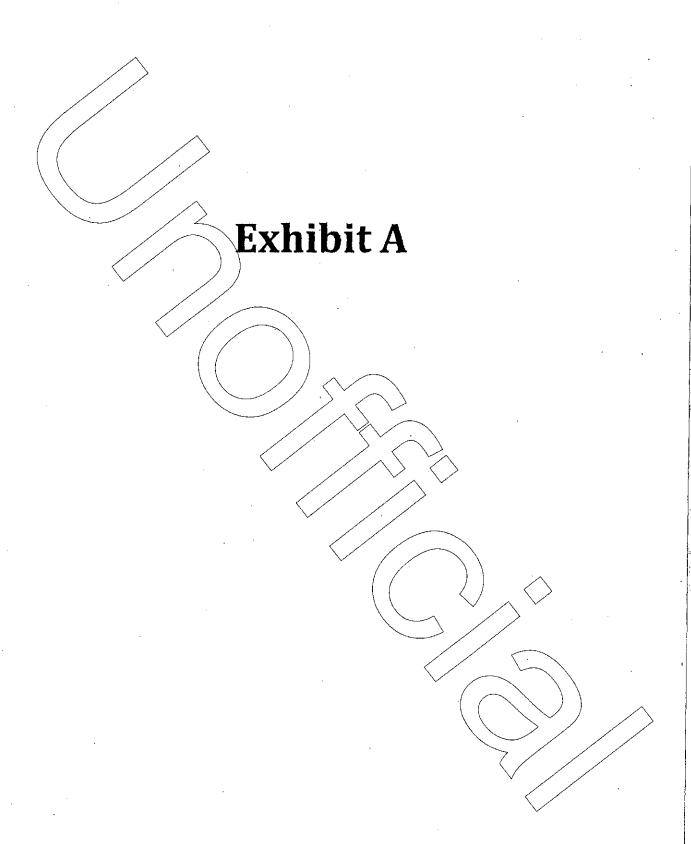
Exhibit F - Demand Letter

Exhibit G – Executed Loan Modification

Exhibit H - December 2012 Loan Modification Payment

Exhibit I – January 2013 Loan Modification Payment

Exhibit J – February 2013 Loan Modification Payment



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(State)

7206 Franciscan Ct, Missouri City, TX 77459

[Property Address]

1. BORROWER'S PROMISE TO PAY

In return for a loan that I have received, I promise to pay U.S. \$117,120.00 (this amount is called "Principal"), plus interest, to the order of the Lender. The Lender is Pulte Mortgage LIC

I will make all payments under his Note in the form of cash, check or money order.

T inderstand that the Lender may transfer this Note. The Lender or anyone who takes this Note by transfer and who is entitled to receive payments under this Note is called the "Note Polder."

#### 2. INTEREST

Interest will be charged on ungaid priocipal until the full amount of Principal has been paid. I will pay interest at a yearly 5.999%. rate of

The interest rate required by this Section 2 is the rate I will pay both before and after any default described in Section 6(B) of this Note.

#### 3. PAYMENTS

(A) Time and Place of Payments

I will pay principal and interest by making a payment every mouth.

day of each month beginning on September 1, 2007 I will make my monthly payment on the 1st make these payments every month until I have paid all of the principal and interest and any other charges described below that I may owe under this Note. Each monthly payment will be applied as of its scheduled due date and will be applied to interest before Principal. If, on August 1, 2022 , I still owe amounts under this Note, I will pay those amounts in full on that date, which is called the "Mathrity Date."

I will make my monthly payments at 7475 Bouth Jokiet streat Englewood, CO B0112

or at a different place if required by the Note Holder.

(B) Amount of Monthly Payments

My monthly payment will be in the amount of U.S. \$ 1,052.65

## 4. BORROWER'S RIGHT TO PREPAY

I have the right to make payments of Principal at any time before they are due. A payment of Principal only is known as a "Prepayment." When I make a Prepayment, I will tell the Note Holder in writing that Fam doing so. I may not designate a payment as a Prepayment if I have not made all the monthly payments due under the Note.

I may make a full Prepayment or partial Prepayments without paying a Prepayment charge. The Note Holder will use my Prepayments to reduce the amount of Principal that I owe under this Note. However, the Note Holder may apply my Prepayment to the accrued and unpaid interest on the Prepayment amount, before applying my Prepayment to reduce the Principal amount of the Note. If I make a partial Prepayment, there will be no changes in the due date or in the amount of my monthly payment unless the Note Holder agrees in writing to those changes.

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#### 5. LOAN CHARGES

If a law, which applies to this loan and which sets maximum loan charges, is finally interpreted so that the interest or other loan charges collected or to be collected in connection with this loan exceed the permitted limits, then: (a) any such loan charge shall be reduced by the amount necessary to reduce the charge to the permitted limit; and (b) any sums already collected from me which exceeded permitted limits will be refunded to me. The Note Holder may choose to make this refund by reducing the Principal Lowe under this Note or by making a direct payment to me. If a refund reduces Principal, the reduction will be treated as a partful Prepayment.

#### 6. BORROWER'S FAILURE TO PAY AS REQUIRED

(A) Late Charge for Overdue Payments

If the Note Holder has not received the full amount of any monthly payment by the end of 1.5 calendar days after the date it is due. I will pay a late charge to the Note Holder. The amount of the charge will be 5.000 % of my overdue payment of principal and interest. I will pay this late charge promptly but only once on each late payment.

(B) Default

If I do not pay the full amount of each monthly payment on the date it is due, I will be in default

(C) Notice of Default

If I am in default, the Note Holder may send me a written notice telling me that if I do not pay the overdue amount by a certain date, the Note Holder may require me to pay immediately the full amount of Principal which has not been paid and all the interest that I owe on that amount. That date must be at least 30 days after the date on which the notice is mailed to me or delivered by other means.

(D) No Waiver By Note Holder

Even if, at a time when I am'in default, the Note Holder does not require me to pay immediately in full us described above, the Note Holder will still have the right to do so if I am in default at a later time.

(E) Payment of Note Holder's Costs and Expenses

If the Note Holder has required me to pay immediately in full as described above, the Note Holder will have the right to be paid back by me for all of its costs and expenses in enforcing this Note to the extent not prohibited by applicable law. Those expenses include, for example, reasonable attorneys' fees.

#### 7. GIVING OF NOTICES

Unless applicable law requires a different method, any notice that must be given to me under this Note will be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail to me at the Property Address above or at a different address if I give the Note Holder a notice of my different address.

Any notice that must be given to the Note Holder under this Note will be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mull to the Note Holder at the address stated in Section 3(A) above or at a different address if I am given a notice of that different address.

## 8. OBLIGATIONS OF PERSONS UNDER THIS NOTE

If more than one person signs this Note, each person is fully and personally obligated to feep all of the promises made in this Note, including the promise to pay the full amount owed. Any person who is a guarantor, surety or endorser of this Note is also obligated to do these things. Any person who takes ever these obligations, including the obligations of a guarantor, surety or endorser of this Note, is also obligated to keep all of the promises made in this Note. The Note Holder may enforce its rights under this Note against each person individually or against all of us together. This means that any one of us may be required to pay all of the amounts owed under this Note.

#### 9. WAIVERS

I and any other person who has obligations under this Note waive the right of Presentment and Notice of Dishonor. "Presentment" means the right to require the Note Holder to other persons that amounts due have not been paid.

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#### 10. UNIFORM SECURED NOTE

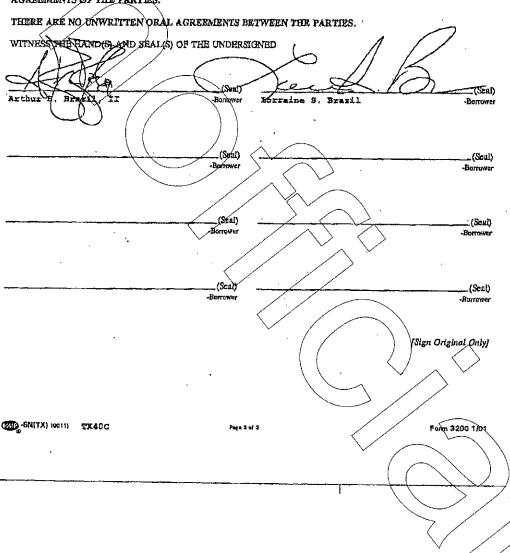
This Note is a uniform instrument with limited variations in some jurisdictions. In addition to the protections given to the Note Holder under this Note, a Mortgage, Deed of Trust, or Security Deed (the "Security Instrument"), dated the same date as this Note, protects the Note Holder from possible losses which night result if I do not keep the promises which I make in this Note. That Security Instrument describes how and under what conditions I may be required to make immediate payment in full of all unpoints I owe under this Note. Some of those conditions are described as follows:

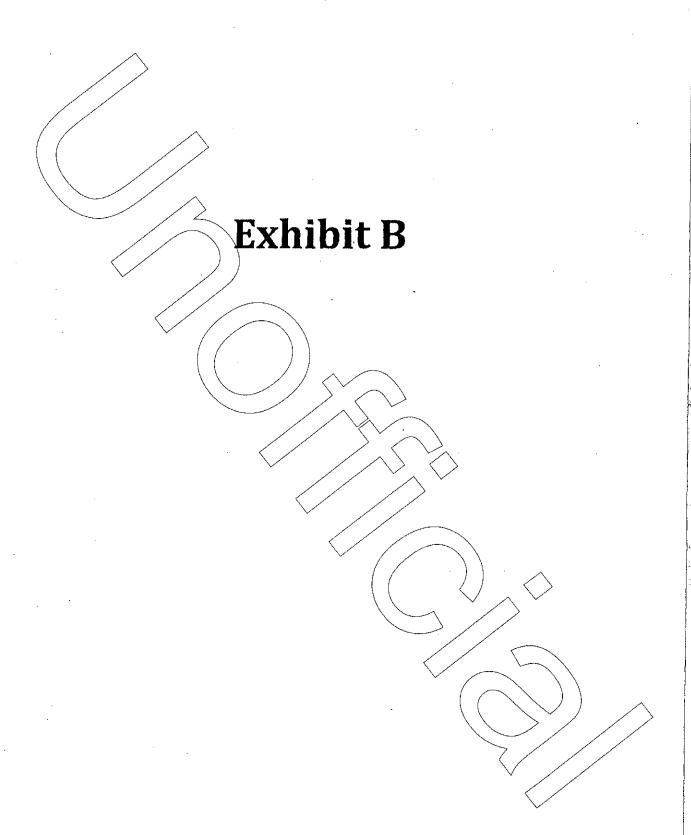
Note. That Security instrument describes now and uncor what conditions are described as follows:

If all or any part of the Property or any Interest in the Property is sold or transferred (or if Borrower is not a natural parson and a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred without Loader's prior written consent, Lender may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if such exercise is prohibited by Applicable Law.

If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given in accordance with Section 15 within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Borrower fulls to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

This wripten load agreement represents the final agreement between the parties and may not be contradicted by evidence of prior, contemporaneous, or subsequent oral agreements of the parties.





Remm To:

Pulta Mortgage, LLC 7475 S. Joliet St. Englawood, co 80112 Attn: Sales & Acquisitions

Prepared By; Ambrey Dickson Martin, Jr.

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## DEED OF TRUST

MIN 100057400003389519 YRU# 1-888-679-6377

DEFINITIONS

Words used in multiple sections of this document are defined below and other words are defined in Sections 3, 11, 13, 18, 20 and 21. Certain rules regarding the asset of words used in this document are also provided in Section 16.
(A) "Security Instrument" means this document, which is dated only 27, 2007

together with all Riders to this document.

Husband and Wife (B) "Borrower" is Arthur H. Brazil II and Lorraine S. Brazil

Borrower is the grantor under this Security Instrument. (C) "Lender" is Polite Mortgage LLC

YEXAS-Single Family-Famile MacFreddie Mac UNIFORM INSTRUMENT WITH MERS

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Lender is a Limited Liability Company	
organized and existing under the laws of Delaware	•
Lender's address is 7475 South Joliat Street, En	glawood, CO 80112
Londer includes any holder of the Note who is entitled to rec	nice resonance under the Note
(D) "Trustee" is Karen Oakerson	cive physicis inder the radie.
(D) Truster in Karen Dakareon	. Trustee's address is
16675 Park Row Blvd., \$110 Houston, TX 77	
(E) "MERS" is Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems,	Inc. MERS is a separate corporation that is
acting solely as p nominee for Lander and Lander's successor.	s and assigns. MERS is a beneficiary under
this Security Instrument. MERS is organized and existing	
address and telephone mimber of P.O. Box 2026, Flint, M. 4	
(II) "Note" means the promissory note signed by Borrower at	
The Note states that Borrower owes Lender One Hundred	,
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U.S. \$117,120.00 ) plus interest. Borrower has	s promised to pay this debt in regular Periodic
Payments and to pay the debt in full not later than August 1	1, 2022
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(H) "Loap" means the debt evidenced by the Note, plus inter	art over wranteemant showen and lete above
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(I) "Riders" means all Riders to this Security Instrument the	
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(K) "Community Association Dues, Fees, and Assessments"	
charges that are imposed on Borrower or the Property by	a condominium association, homeowners
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(L) "Electronic Funds Transfer" means any transfer of An check, draft, or similar paper instrument, which is injusted	ds, other than a transaction originated by
instrument, computer, or magnetic tape so as leverder, instruct	t, or authorize a financial institution to debit
or credit an account. Such term includes, but is not limited machine transactions, transfers initiated by telephone, win	to, point-of-sale transfers, automated teller
machine transactions, transfers initiated by telephone, wire	e transfers, and automated clearinghouse
(M) "Escrow Items" means those items that are described in S	action 3
(N) "Miscellaneous Proceeds" means any compensation, sonto	ement when a farmane or represedunted
by any third party (other than insurance proceeds paid under the	he coverages described in Section 5 for: (i)
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(O) "Mortgage Insurance" means insurance protecting Leader against the compayment of, or default on,

(P) "Periodic Payment" means the regularly scheduled amount due for (i) principal and interest under the Note, plus (ii) any amounts under Section 3 of this Security Instrument.

(Q) "RESPA" means the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (12 U.S.C. Section 2601 et seq.) and its implementing regulation, Regulation X (24 C.F.R. Part 3500), as they might be amended from time to time, or any additional or successor legislation or regulation that governs the same subject matter. As used in this Security Instrument, "RESPA" refers to all requirements and restrictions that are imposed in regardto a "federally related mortgage loan" even if the Loan does not qualify as a "federally related mortgage Ioan" under RESPA

(R) "Successor in Interest of Borrower" means any party that has taken title to the Property, whether or not that party has assumed Borrower's obligations under the Note and/or this Security Instrument.

#### TRANSFER OF RIGHTS IN THE PROPERTY

The beneficiary of this Security Instrument is MERS (solely as pomines for Lender and Lender's successors and assigns) and the successors and assigns of MERS. This Security Instrument secures to Lender: (i) the repayment of the Loan, and all renewals, extensions and modifications of the Note; and (ii) the performance of Borrower's covenants and agreements under this Security Instrument and the Note. For this purpose, Borrower inevocubly grants and conveys to Trustee, in trust with power of sale, the following described property located in the County Fort Bend

[Pype of Respecting Jurisdiction] [Name of Recording Jurisdiction] Lot Fifteen (15), in Blook One (1), of SIENNA VILIAGE OF ANDERSON SPRINGS, SECTION SIX (5), a subdivision in Fort Bend County, Toxas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded under Plat File No. 2006020 of the Plat Reports of Fort Bond County, Texas:

Parcel ID Number: 7206 Franciscan Ct Missouri City ("Property Address"):

which currently has the address of City Pexes 77459 (Zip Code)

TOGETHER WITH all the improvements now or hereafter oracted on the property, and all easements, appurtenances, and fixtures now or hereafter a part of the property. All replacements and additions shall also be covered by this Security Instrument. All of the foregoing is referred to in this

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Security Instrument as the "Property." Borrower understands and agrees that MERS holds only legal title to the interests granted by Borrower in this Security Instrument, but, if necessary to comply with law or custom, MERS (as nominee for Lender and Lender's successors and assigns) has the right: to exercise any or all of those interests, including, but not limited to, the right to foreclose and sell the Property; and to take any action required of Lender including, but not limited to, releasing and canceling this Security Instrument.

BORROWER COVENANTS that Borrower is lawfully seized of the estate hereby conveyed and has the right to grant and convey the Property and that the Property is unencombered, except for encumbrances of record. Barrower warrants and will defend generally the tide to the Property against all claims and definants, subject to any encumbrances of record.

THIS SECURITY INSTRUMENT combines uniform covenants for national use and non-uniform

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UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender covenant and agree as follows:

1. Payment of Principal, interest, Escrow Items, Prepayment Charges, and Late Charges. Boerower shall pay when the the principal of, and interest on, the debt evidenced by the Note and any prepayment charges and late thinges due under the Note. Borrower shall also pay funds for Escrow Items pursuant to Section 3. Phyments due under the Note and this Security Instrument shall be made in U.S. cardency. However, if any check or other instrument received by Lender as payments under the Note or this Security Instrument is returned to Lender unpaid, Lender may require that any or all subsequent payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument be made in one or more of the following forms, as selected by Lender: (a) cashie; (a) cashie; (b) cashie; (c) certified check, bank check, treasurer's check or cashier's check, provided any roth these is drawn upon an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality, or entity; or (d) Electronic Funds Transfer.

Payments are deemed received by Lender when received at the location designated in the Note or at such other location as may be designated by Lender in accordance with the notice provisions in Section 15. Lender may return any payment or partial payment or partial payment insufficient to bring the Loan current, Lender may accept any payment or partial payment insufficient to bring the Loan current, dender may rejets herehader or prejudice to its rights to refuse such payments are accepted. If each Periodic Payment is applied as of his scheduled the date, then Lender need not pay interest on unapplied funds. Lender may hold such unapplied funds until Borrower makes payment to bring the Loan current. If Borrower does not do so within a reasonable period of time, Lender shall either apply such funds and this Security Instrument or performing the covenab the Note and this Security Instrument or performing the covenants and agreements secured by this Security

Instrument.

2. Application of Payments or Proceeds. Except as otherwise described in this Section 2, all payments accepted and applied by Lender shall be applied in the following order of priority: (a) interest due under the Note; (b) principal due under the Note; (c) amounts the under Section 3. Such payments shall be applied to each Periodic Payment in the order in which it became due. Any remaining amounts shall be applied first to late charges, second to any other amounts due under this Security Instrument, and then to reduce the principal balance of the Note.

If Lender receives a payment from Horrower for a delinquent Periodic Payment which includes a sufficient amount to pay any late charge due, the payment may be applied to the delinquent payment and the late charge. If more than one Periodic Payment is no sustainfully, Londer may apply may payment received from Borrower to the repayment of the Periodic Payments if, and to the extent that, each payment can be paid in full. To the extent that any excess exists after the payment is applied to the falls payment of one or more Periodic Payments, such excess may be applied to any late charges due. Voluntury propayment shall be applied first to any prepayment charges and then as described in the Note.

Any application of payments, insurance proceeds, or Miscellancous Proceeds to principal due under the Note shall not extend or postpone the due dute, or change the amount, of the Periodic Payments.

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3. Funds for Escrow Items, Borrower shall pay to Lender on the day Periodic Payments are due under the Note, until the Note is paid in full, a sum (the "Funds") to provide for payment of amounts due for: (a) taxes and easessments and other items which can attain priority over this Security Instrument as a for: (a) taxes and assessments and other terms which can attain priority over this Sectifity instrument as a ten or encumbrance on the Property; (b) leasehold payments or ground rents on the Property, if any; (c) premiums for any and all insurance required by Lender under Section 5; and (d) Mortgage Lisuances premiums, if any, or any sums payable by Borrower to Lender in lieu of the payment of Mortgage insurance premiums in accordance with the provisions of Section 10. These items are called "Excrow items." At origination or at any time during the term of the Loan, Lender may require that Community Association Dues, Fers, and Assessments, if any, be excrowed by Borrower, and such dues, fees and assessments that the art Excrow Item. Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notices of amounts to assessments shall be an Escrow Item. Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notices of amounts to be paid noter this Section. Borrower shall pay Lender the Punds for Escrow Items unless Lender waives Borrower's obligation to pay to Lender Punds for any or all Escrow Items. Lender may waive Borrower's obligation to pay to Lender Punds for any or all Escrow Items at any time. Any such waiver may only be in writing. In the event of such waiver, Borrower shall pay directly, when and where payable, the amounts due for any Escrow Items for which payment of Punds has been waived by Lender and, if Lender requires, shall furnish to Lender receipts evidencing such payment within such time period as Lender may require. Borrower's obligation to make such payments and to provide receipts shall for all purposes be deemed to be a covenant and agreement contained in this Security Instrument, as the phrase "covenant and agreement" is used in Section 9. If Borrower is obligated to pay Items directly, pursuant to a waiver, and Borrower fails to pay the amount due for an Escrow Item, Lender may exercise its rights under Section 9 and pay such amount and Borrower shall then be obligated under Section 9 to ready to Lender any such Sorrower fails to pay the amount due for an Escrow Item, Lender may exercise its rights under Section 9 and pay such amount and Borrower shall then be obligated under Section 9 to repay to Lender any such amount. Lender may revoke the waiver as to any or all Escrow Items at any time by a notice given in accordance with Section 15 and, upon such revocation, Borrower shall pay to Lender all Funds, and in such amounts, that are then required under this Section 3.

Lender may, at any time, collect said hold Funds in an amount (a) sufficient to permit Lender to apply the Funds at the time specified under RESPA, and (b) not to exceed the maximum amount a londer can require under RESPA. Leader shall estimate the amount of Funds due on the basis of current data and reasonable estimates of expenditures of future Escrow Items or otherwise in accordance with Applicable Law.

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The Funds shall be held in an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality, or only (including Lender, if Lender San Lasibution whose deposits are so insured) or in any Federal Home Long Bank. Lender shall apply the Funds to pay the Escrow Items no later than the time specified under RESPA. Lender shall not charge Bornover for folding and applying the Funds, annually analyzing the escrow account, or verifying the Escrow Items, taless Lender pays Bornover interest on the Funds and Applicable Law requires to the paid on the Funds. Lender shall not be required to pay Bornover any interest or the Funds. Bornover and Lender can agree in writing, however, that interest shall be paid on the Funds. Lender shall give to Bornover, without charge, an annual accounting of the Funds as required by RESPA. Funds as required by RESPA.

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If there is a simplus of Funds held in escrow, as defined mider RESPA, Lender shall account to Borrower for the excess funds in accordance with RESPA. If there is a shoringe of Funds held in escrow, as defined under RESPA, Lender shall notify Borrower as required by RESPA, and Borrower shall pay to Lender the amount accessary to make up the shoringe in accordance with RESPA, but in no more than 12 monthly payments. If there is a deficiency of Funds held in escrow, as defined under RESPA, Lender shall notify Borrower us required by RESPA, and Borrower shall pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the deficiency in accordance with RESPA, but in no more than 12 monthly payments.

Upon payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall promptly refund to Borrower any Fands held by Lender.

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4. Charges; Liens. Borrower shall pay all taxes, assessments, charges, fines, and impositions attributable to the Property which can attain priority over this Security Instrument, leasehold payments or ground rents on the Property, if any, and Community Association Dues, Fees, and Assessments, if any. To the extent that these items are Escrow Items, Borrower shall pay them in the manner provided in Section 3.

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Borrower: (a) agrees in writing to the payment of the obligation secured by the lien in a manner acceptable to Lender, but only so long as Horrower is performing such agreement; (b) contests the lien in good fulth by, or defends against enforcement of the lien in, legal proceedings which in Lender's opinion operate to prevent the sufforcement of the lien while those proceedings are pending, but only until such proceedings are concluded; of (c) secures from the holder of the lien an agreement satisfactory to Lender subordinating the lien to this Security Instrument. If Lender determines that any part of the Property is subject to a lien which can attain priority over this Security Instrument, Lender may give Borrower a notice identifying the lien. Within 10 days of the date on which that notice is given, Borrower shall satisfy the lien or take one or more of the actions set forth above in this Section 4.

Lender may require Borrower to pay a one-time charge for a real estate tax verification and/or reporting service used by Lender in connection with this Lonn.

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5. Property Insurance, Borrower shall keep the improvements now existing or hereafter erected on the Property Insurance used by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage," and any other hazards including for the term "extended coverage," and any other hazards including deducible levels) and for the periods that Lender requires insurance. This insurance shall be anomate (including deducible levels) and for the periods that Lender requires. What Lender/requires pursuant to the preceding sentences can change during the term of the Loan. The insurance carrier providing the insurance shall be chosen by Borrower subject to Lender's right to disapprove Borrower's choice, which right shall not be exercised unreasonably. Lender may frequire Borrower to ray, in connection with this Loan, either: (a) a one-time charge for flood zone determination and cortification services and subsequent charges each time remappings or similar changes occur which reasonably might affect such determination or certification. Borrower shall also be responsible for the payment of any free imposed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency in connection with the review of any flood zone determination resulting from an objection by Borrower.

If Borrower fails to maintain any of the boverages described above, Lender may obtain insurance coverage, at Lender's option and Borrower's expense. Lender is under no obligation to purchase any particular type or amount of coverage. Therefore, such coverage shall cover Lender, but might or might not protect Borrower, Borrower's equity in the Property, or the contents of the Property, against any risk, lazard or liability and might provide greater or lesser toverage than was previously in effect. Borrower exclused that the cost of the Insupance coverage of obtained might significantly exceed the cost of insurance that Borrower rould h

at the Note rate from the date of disbursement and shall be payable, with such interest, upon nodice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

All insurance policies required by Lender and renewals of such policies ahall be subject to Lender's right to disapprove such policies, shall include a standard mortgage clause, and shall name Lender as mortgagee and/or as an additional loss payee, Lender shall have the right to hold the policies and renewal certificates. If Lender requires, Borrower shall promptly give to Lender all receipts of gaid premiums and renewal notices. If Borrower obtains only form of insurance covarage, nog to therwise required by Lender, for damage to, or destruction of, the Property, such policy shall include a standard mortgage clause and shall name Lender as mortgages and/or as an additional loss payee.

In the event of ioss, Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender. Lender may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Borrower. Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any insurance proceeds, whether or not the underlying insurance was required by Lender, shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. During such repair and restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. During such repair and restoration in specific shall have the right to hold such insurance proceeds until Lender has had an apparently to inspect such Property to consure the work has been campleted to Lender's satisfaction, provided that such inspection shall be undertaken promptly. Londer may disburse proceeds for the repairs and restoration in x single payment on in a series of progress payments as the work is completed. Unless an agreement is made in writing or Applicable Law requires to be paid on such insurance proceeds, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any

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interest or carnings on such proceeds. Fees for public adjusters, or other third parties, retained by Borrower shall not be paid out of the insurance proceeds and shall be the sole obligation of Borrower. If the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be leasened, the insurance proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any gaid to Borrower. Such insurance proceeds shall be applied in the order provided for in

If Borrower abundons the Property, Lender may file, negotiate and settle any available insurance claim and related mutters. If Borrower does not respond within 30 days to a notice from Lender that the insurance carrier has offered to settle a claim, then Lender may negotiate and settle the claim. The 30-day period will begin when the notice is given. In either event, or if Lender sequires the Property under Section 22 or otherwise, Borrower hereby assigns to Lender (a) Borrower's rights to any insurance proceeds in an amount not to exceed the amounts unpuid under the Note or this Security Instrument, and (b) any other of Borrower's rights (other than the right to any refund of uncarned premiums paid by Borrower) ander all insurance policies covering the Property, insofar as such rights are applicable to the coverage of the Property. Lender may use the insurance proceeds either to repair or restore the Property or to pay amounts unpaid under the Note or this Security Instrument, whether or not then due.

6. Occupancy. Borrower shall occupy, establish, and use the Property as Borrower's principal residence within 60 days after the execution of this Security Instrument and shall continue to occupy the Property as Borrower's principal residence for at least one year after the date of occupancy, unless Lender otherwise agrees in writing, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, or unless extenuating circumstances exist which are beyond Borrower's control.

7. Preservation, Maintenance and Protection of the Property; Inspections. Borrower shall not 7. Preservation Maintenance and Protection of the Property. Inspections. Borrower shall not destroy, damage or impair the Property, allow the Property in destrious or commit waste on the Property Whether or not Borrower is residing in the Property. Borrower shall maintain the Property in order to prevent the Property from destriousing or decreasing in value due to its condition. Unless it is determined pursuant to Section 5 that repair or restoration is not economically feasible. Borrower shall promptly repair the Property if damaged to have further deterioration or damage. If insurance or condomnation proceeds are paid in connection which damage to, or the taking of, the Property, Borrower shall be responsible for repairing or restoring the Property only if Lender has released proceeds for such purposes. Lender may distinse proceeds for the repairs and restoration in a single payment or in a series property. Borrower is not relieved of Borrower's obligation for the completion of such repair or restoration.

Leader or its agent may make teasonable couries upon and inspections of the Property. If it has reasonable cause, Leader may inspect the interior of the improvements on the Property, Leader shall give. Borrower notice at the time of or prior to such an interior inspection specifying such reasonable cause.

8. Borrower's Loan Application. Borrower shall be in default if, during the Loan application process. Borrower or any persons or entities acting at the direction of Borrower's moviedge or consent gave materially false, misleading, or functurally information or shipments to Lender (or failed to provide Lender with material information) in connection with the Loan. Material representations include, but are not limited to, representations concerning Borrower's occupancy of the Property as Borrower's principal residence.

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9. Protection of Leader's Interest in the Property and Rights Under this Security Instrument. If
(a) Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Security Instrument, (b) there
is a legal proceeding that might significantly affect Lender's interest in the Property and/or rights under
this Security Instrument (such as a proceeding in bankrupter, probate, for condemination or forfeigner, for
enforcement of a lien which may attain priority over this Security Instrument or to enforce laws or
regulations), or (c) Borrower has abandoned the Property, then Lender may do said pay for whatever is
reasonable or appropriate to protect Lender's interest in the Property and rights under this Security
Instrument, including protenting and/or assessing the value of the Property, and securing and/or repairing
the Property. Lander's actions can include, but are not limited to: ((a) paying any sums securing // reasonable (c) paying // reasonable (c) pay

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attorneys' fees to protect its interest in the Property and/or rights under this Security Instrument, including its secured position in a bankruptcy proceeding. Securing the Property includes, but is not limited to, entering the Property in make repairs, change locks, replace or board up doors and windows, drain water from pipes, eliminate building or other code violations or dangerous conditions, and have utilities turned on or off. Although Lender may take action under this Section 9, Lender does not have to do so and is not under any duty or obligation to do so. It is agreed that Lender insure no liability for not taking any or all actions sutherized under this Section 9.

Any amounts distursed by Lender under this Section 9 shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. These amounts shall bear interest at the Note rate from the date of dishursement and shall be payable, with such interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting

If this Security Instrument is on a leasehold, Borrower shall comply with all the provisions of the igase. If Borrower acquires fee title to the Property, the leasehold and the fee title shall not merge unless Leader agrees to the merger in writing.

10. Mortgage Insurance. If Lender required Mortgage Insurance as a condition of making the Loan, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to maintain the Mortgage Insurance in effect. If, for any reason, the Mortgage Insurance coverage required by Lender ceases to be available from the mortgage insurer that previously provided such insurance and Burrower was required to make separately designated payments the Mortgage Insurance coverage required by Lender ceases to be available from the mortgage insurer than toward the premiums for Mortgage Insurance, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to obtain coverage substantially equivalent to the Mortgage Insurance previously in effect, at a cost substantially equivalent to the Mortgage Insurance previously in effect, at a cost substantially equivalent to the cost to Borrower of the Mortgage Insurance previously in effect, from an alternate mortgage insurer selected by Lender. If substantially equivalent Mortgage Insurance coverage is not available, Borrower shall continue in pay to Lender the amount of the separately designated payments that were due whon the insurance coverage ceased to be in effect. Lender will accept, use and retain these payments as a non-refundable logal reserve in the Loan is ultimately paid in full, and Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or expanding on such loss reserve. Lender can no longer require loss reserve payments if Mortgage Insurance coverage (in the amount and for the period that Lender requires separately designated payments toward the premiums for Mortgage Insurance. If Lender required Mortgage Insurance as a condition of making the Loan and Borrower was required to make separately designated payments toward the premiums for Mortgage Insurance, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to maintain Mortgage Insurance ends in secondance with may written agreement between Borrower and Lender providing for such termination or until termination is required by Applicable Law. Nothing in this Section 10 affects Borrower's obligation to pay interest at the case provided in the Note.

Mortgage Insurance reimbures Lender for any entity that purchases the Note) for cermin losses it may incur if Borrower does not repay the Loan as agreed. Burrower is not a burty to the Mortgage Insurance.

Mortgage insurers evaluate their total risk on all such insurance in farce from time to time, and may enter into agreements with other parties that share or medify their risk, or reduce lesses. These agreements are on terms and conditions that are satisfactory to the mortgage insurer and the other party (or parties) to these agreements. These agreements may require the mortgage insurer to make payments using any source of funds that the mortgage insurer may be a valiable (which may include funds obtained from Mortgage

Insurance premiums).

As a result of these agreements, Lender, any purchaser of the Note, another insurer, any reinsurer, any other entity, or any affiliate of any of the foregoing, may receive (directly or indirectly) amounts that derive from (or might be characterized as) a portion of Borrower's payments for Mortinge Insurance, in exchange for sharing or modifying the mortinge insurer's risk, or reducing losses. If such agreement provides that an affiliate of Lender makes a share of the insurer's risk in exchange for a bure of the premiums paid to the insurer, the arrangement is often termed "complies reinsurance." Further:

(a) Any such agreements will not affect the amounts that Borrower has agreed to pay for Mortgage Insurance, or any other terms of the Loan. Such agreements will not increase the amount Borrower will over for Mortgage Insurance, and they will not entitle Borrower to any refund.

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(b) Any such agreements will not affect the rights Borrower has - if any - with respect to the Morigage Insurunce under the Homeowners Protection Act of 1998 or any other law. These rights may include the right to receive certain disciosures, to request and obtain cancellation of the Mortgage Insurance, to have the Mortgage Insurance terminated automatically, and/or to receive a refund of any Mortgage Insurance premiums that were uncarned at the time of such cancellation or

11. Assignment of Miscellaneous Proceeds; Forfeiture. All Miscellaneous Proceeds are hereby assigned to and shall be paid to Leader.

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If the Property is damaged, such Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not leasened. During such repair and restoration period, Lender shall have the right to hold such Miscellaneous Proceeds until Lender has had an opportunity to inspect such Property to casure the work has been completed to Lender's satisfaction provided that such inspection shall be undertaken promptly. Lender may pay for the repairs and restoration in a single disbursement or in a series of progress payments as the work is completed. Unless an agreement is made in writing or Applicable Law requires interest to be paid on such Miscellaneous Proceeds, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on such Miscellaneous Proceeds. If the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be lesseded, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower. Such Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied in the order provided for in Section 2. applied in the order provided for in Section 2.

In the event of a total taking, destruction, or loss in value of the Property, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with

the excess, if any, paid to Borrower,

In the event of a partial taking, destruction, or loss in value of the Property in which the fair market value of the Property immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value is equal to or greater than the amount of the sums recoved by this Security Instrument immediately before the partial preater than the amount of the sums recoved by this Security Instrument immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value, unless Borrower and Leader otherwise agree in writing, the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall be reduced by the amount of the Misocilaneous Proceeds multiplied by the following fraction: (a) the total amount of the sums secured immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value divided by (b) the fair market value of the Property immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value, and the amount of the sums secured immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value is less than the amount of the sums secured immediately before the partial taking, destruction, or loss in value, unless Borrower and Leader otherwise agree on writing, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument whether of ant the sums of the other otherwise agree in writing, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument whether of ant the sums are then does.

secured by this Security Instrument whether or not the sums are then due.

If the Property is abandoned by Borrower, or if, after notice by Lender to Borrower that the Opposing Party (as defined in the next sentence) offers to make an award to settle a claim for damages, Borrower fails to respond to Lender within 30 days after the date the notice is given Lender is authorized to collect and apply the Miscellaneous Proceeds either to restounted or repair of the Property or to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due. "Opposing Party" means the third party that owes Borrower Miscellaneous Proceeds or the party against whom Borrower has a right of action in

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Borrower shall be in default if any action or proceeding, whether civil or oriminal, is begun that, in Lender's judgment, could result in forfeiture of the Property or other material impairment of Lender's interest in the Property or rights under this Security Instrument. Borrower can cure such a default and, if neceleration has occurred, reinstance as provided in Security Instrument, the exciton or proceeding to be dismissed with a ruling that, in Lender's judgment, precludes forfeiture of the Property or other material impairment of Lender's interest in the Property or rights under this Security Instruction. The proceeds of any award or claim for damages that are attribumble to the impairment of Lender's interest in the Property are bereby material and shall be hald to Lender.

are hereby assigned and shall be paid to Londer.

All Miscellaneous Proceeds that are not applied to restoration or repair of the Property shall be applied in the order provided for in Section 2.

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12. Borrower Not Released; Forbearance By Lender Not a Walver. Extension of the time for payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument granted by Lender to Borrower or any Successor in Interest of Borrower shall not operate to release the liability of Borrower. to Borrower or any Successor in Interest of Borrower send not operate to release the hability of Borrower or any Successors in Interest of Borrower. Lender shall not be required to commence proceedings against any Successor in Interest of Borrower or to refuse to extend time for payment or otherwise modify amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument by reason of any demand made by the original Borrower or any Successors in Interest of Borrower. Any forbearance by Leader in exercising any right or remedy including, without limitation, Leader's acceptance of payments from third persons, antides or Successors in Interest of Borrower or in amounts less than the amount then due, shall not be a wniver of or

preclude the exercise of any right or remedy.

13. Joint and Several Liability; Co-signers; Successors and Assigns Bound. Borrower covenants and agrees that Borrower's obligations and liability shall be joint and several. However, any Borrower who amongrees that Society Instrument but does not execute the Note (a "co-signer"): (a) is co-signing this Society Instrument but does not execute the Note (a "co-signer"): (a) is co-signing this Society Instrument only to mortgage, grant and convey the co-signer's interest in the Property under the terms of this Society Instrument; (b) is not personally obligated to pay the sums secured by this Society Instrument; and (c) agrees that Lender and any other Borrower can agree to extend, modify, forbear or make any accommodations with regard to the terms of this Society Instrument or the Note without the

co-signer's consent.

Subject to the provisions of Section 18, any Successor in Interest of Borrower who assumes Borrower's obligations under this Security Instrument in writing, and is approved by Lender, shall obtain all of Borrower's rights and benefits under this Security Instrument. Borrower shall not be released from Borrower's obligations and liability under this Security Instrument unless Lender agrees to such release in

Borrower's obligations and liability under this Security Instrument closes Lender agrees to such release in writing. The covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument shall bind (except as provided in Section 2D) and benefit the successors and assigns of Lender.

14. Lopat Charges. Lender may charge Borrower fees for services performed in connection with Borrower's default, for the purpose of protecting Lender's interest in the Property and rights under this Security Instrument, including, but not limited by attorneys' fees, property inspection and valuation fees. In regard to any other fees, the absence of express authority in this Security Instrument to charge a specific fee to Borrower shall not be construed as a prohibition on the charging of such fee. Lender may not charge fees that are expressly prohibited by this Security Instrument or by Applicable Law.

If the Loan is abbject to a law which tets thanken loan charges, and that law is finally interpreted so that the interest or other loan charges collected or to be collected in connection with the Loan exceed the permitted limits, then: (a) any such loan charge shalf be reduced by the amount necessary to reduce the charge to the permitted limit, and (b) any sums already collected from Borrower which exceeded permitted limits will be refunded to Borrower. Lender may choose to make this refund by reducing the principal owed under the Note or by making a direct payment to Borrower which exceeded permitted limits will be treated as a partial prepayment to Borrower acceptance of large (whether or not a prepayment charge is provided for under the Note). Borrower's acceptance of large such refund made by direct payment to Borrower will considiate a waiver of any right of action Borrower might have arising out of such overcharge.

15. Notices. All notices given by Borrower of Lender in connection with this Security Instrument shall be deemed to

15. Notices. All notices given by Borrower or Leader in connection with this Security Instrument must be in writing. Any notice to Borrower in connection with this Security Instrument shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower when malled by first class mult or when achieved to Borrower notice address it sent by other means. Notice to any one Borrower shall constitute notice to all Borrowers unless Applicable Law expressly requires otherwise. The notice address shall be the Property Address unless Borrower has designated a substitute notice address by notice to Lender. Borrower shall promptly notify Lender of Borrower's change of address, then Borrower shall only report a change of address, then Borrower shall only report a change of address, through that specified procedure. There may be only one designated notice address under this Security Instrument at any one time. Any notice to Lender shall be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail to Lender's address stated herein unless Lender has designated another address by notice to Borrower. Any notice in connection with this Security Instrument shall not be deemed to have been given to Lender until actually

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received by Lender. If any notice required by this Security Instrument is also required under Applicable Law, the Applicable Law requirement will satisfy the corresponding requirement under this Security

16. Governing Law; Severability; Rules of Construction. This Security Instrument shall be governed by federal law and the law of the jurisdiction in which the Property is incuted. All rights and obligations configured in this Security Instrument are subject to any requirements and limitations of Applicable Law. Applicable Law might explicitly or implicitly allow the parties to agree by contract or it might be silent, but such silence shall not be construed as a prohibition against agreement by contract. In might be sitent, but such silence shall not be construed as a prohibition against agreement by contract. In the event that any provision or clause of this Security Instrument or the Note conflicts with Applicable Law, such conflict shall not affect other provisions of this Security Instrument or the Note which can be given effect without the conflicting provision.

As used in this Security Instrument: (a) words of the masculine gender shall mean and include corresponding fewer words or words of the femining gender; (b) words in the singular shall mean and include the phral and circ versa; and (c) the word "may" gives sole discretion without any obligation to take any action.

17. Borrower's Capy. Borrower shall be given one copy of the Note and of this Security Instrument.

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18. Transfer of the Property or a Beneficial Interest in Borrower. As used in this Section 18, "Interest in the Property" means any legal or beneficial interest in the Property, including, but not limited to those boneficial interests transferred in a bond for deed, contract for dead, installment sales contract or escow agreement, the intent of which is the transfer of title by Borrower at a future date to a purchaser. If all or any part of the Property or any Interest in the Property is sold or transferred (or if Borrower is not a matural person and a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred) without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if such exercise is prohibited by Applicable Law.

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If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given in accordance with Section 15 within which Borrower frust pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this/period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

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19. Borrower's Right to Reinstate After Asceleration. If Borrower meets certain conditions, Borrower shall have file right to have enforcement of this Security Instrument discontinued at any time prior to the earliest of: (a) five days before sale of the Property pursuant to any power of sale contained in his Security Instrument; (b) such offer period as Applicable have might specify for the termination of Borrower's right to reinstate; or (c) entry of a judgment enforcing this Security Instrument. Those conditions are that Borrower; (a) pays Lender all sums which then would be due under this Security Instrument and the Note as if on acceleration had occurred; (b) cares any default of any other coverants or agreements; (c) pays all expenses incurred in suffercing this Security Instrument, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees, property inspection and valuados fees, and other fees incurred for the purpose of protecting Lender's interest in the Property and rights under this Security Instrument; and (d) takes such action as Lender may reasonably require to assure that Lender's in the Property and rights under this Security Instrument, shall continue unchanged. Lender may require that Borrower pay such reinstatement sums and expenses in one or more of the following forths, so selected by Lender (a) cash; (b) money order; (c) certified check, bank check, treasurer's check or cashier's check, provided any such check is drawn upon an instintion whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrument and obligations secured hereby shall remain fully effective as if no noceleration had occurred. However, this right to reinstate shall not apply in the case of seceleration under Section 18. apply in the case of acceleration under Section 18.

20. Sale of Note; Change of Loan Servicer; Notice of Grievance. The Note or a partial interest in the Note (together with this Security Instrument) can be sold one or more times without brior notice to Borrower. A sale might result in a change in the entity (known as the "Loan Servicer") that collects. Periodic Payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument and performs other morrospe joan

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servicing obligations under the Note, this Security Instrument, and Applicable Law. There also might be one or more changes of the Loan Servicer unrelated to a sale of the Note. If there is a change of the Loan Servicer, Borrower will be given written notice of the change which will state the name and address of the new Loan Servicer, the address to which payments should be made and any other information RESPA requires in competition with a notice of transfer of servicing. If the Note is sold and thereafter the Loan is serviced by a Loan Servicer other than the purchaser of the Note, the mortgage loan servicing obligations to Borrower will remain with the Loan Servicer or be transferred to a successor Loan Servicer and are not assumed by the Note purchaser unless otherwise provided by the Note purchaser.

Neither Borrower nor Lender may commence, join, or be joined to any judicial action (as either an individual liftgant or the member of a class) that arises from the other party's actions pursuant to this Security Instrument of that the other party has breached any provision of, or any duty owed by reason of, this Security Instrument, until such Borrower or Lender has notified the other party (with such notice given in compliance with the requirements of Section 15) of such alleged breach and afforded the other party herein a reasonable period after the giving of such notice to take corrective action. If Applicable Law provides a time period which must elapse before certain action can be taken, that time period will be deemed to be treasonable for purposes of this paragraph. The notice of acceleration and opportunity to cure given to Borrower pursuant to Section/18 shall be deemed to satisfy the notice and opportunity to take corrective action provisions of this Section 20.

21. Hazardous Substances. As used in this Section 21: (a) "Hazardous Substances" are those substances defined as toxic or hazardous substances, pollutants, or wastes by Environmental Law and the following substances: gasquine, kerosene, after flammable or toxic petroleum products, toxic pesticides and herbicides, volatile solvents, materials containing asbestos or formaldehyde, and radinactive materials; (b) "Environmental Law" means federal laws and laws of the juristiction where the Property is located that relate to health, safety or environmental protection; (c) "Environmental Cicanup" includes any response action, remedial action, or removal action, as defined in Environmental Law; and (d) an "Environmental Condition" means a condition that can cruse, contribute to, or otherwise trigger an Environmental Cleanup.

Borrower shall not cause or permit the presence use, disposal, storage, or release of any Hazardous Substances, or thresten to release any Hazardous Substances, on of in the Property. Borrower shall not do, nor allow anyone else to be, mything affecting the Property (a) that is in violation of any Environmental Law, (b) which creates an Burtrommental Condition, or (c) which, due to the presence, use, or release of a Hazardous Substance, creates a condition that adversely affects the value of the Property. The preceding two sentences shall not apply to the presence, use, or storage on the Property of small quantities of Hazardous Substances that are generally recognized to be apprepriate to normal residential uses and to maintenance of the Property (including, but not limited to, hyzardous substances in consumer products).

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Borrower shall promptly give Lender written notice of (a) any investigation, claim, demand, lawsult or other action by any governmental or regulatory agency or private party involving the Property and any Hazardous Substance or Environmental Law of which Borrower has setual knowledge, (b) any Environmental Condition, including but not limited to, any spilling, leaking, discharge, release or threat of release of any Hazardous Substance, and (c) any condition caused by the presence, use or release of a Hazardous Substance which adversely affects the value of the Property 1f Borrower learns, or is notified by any governmental or regulatory authority, or any private party, that any removal or other remediation of any Hazardous Substance affecting the Property is necessary, Borrower shall promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with Environmental Law. Nothing herein shall create any obligation on Lender for an Environmental Cleanup.

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NON-UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender further covenant and agree as follows:

22. Acceleration; Remedies. Leader shall give notice to Borrower prior to acceleration following Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument (but not prior to acceleration under Section 18 unless Applicable Law provides otherwise). The notice shall specify: (a) the default; (b) the action required to cure the default; (c) a date, not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given to Borrower, by which the default must be cured; and (d) that failure to care the default of or before the date specified in the notice will result in acceleration of the sums secured by this Security Instrument and sale of the Property. The notice shall further inform Borrower of the right to reinstate after acceleration and the right to bring a court action to assert the non-existence of a default or any other defense of Borrower to acceleration and sale. If the default is not cured on or before the date specified in the notice, Lender at its option may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument without further demand and may invoke the power of sole and any other remedies permitted by Applicable Law. Leader shall be entitled to collect all expenses incurred in pursuing the remedies provided in this Section 22, including, but not limited to, rensonable actorneys' fees and costs of title evidence. For the purposes of this Section 22, the term

Lender includes any holder of the Note who is entitled to receive payments under the Note.

If Lender invokes the power of sale, Lender or Trustee shall give notice of the time, place and terms of sale by posting and filing the notice at lenst 21 days prior to sale as provided by Applicable Law. Lender shall mall a copy of the notice to Borrower in the manner prescribed by Applicable Law. Sale shall be made at public venue. The sale must begin at the time stated in the notice of sale or not inter than three hours after that time and between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. Borrower authorizes Trustee to sell the property to the highest bidder for cash in one or more parcels and in any order Trustee determines. Lender or its designes may purchase the

Trustee shall deliver to the purchaser Trustee's deed conveying indefeasible title to the Property with covenants of general warranty from Borrower. Borrower covenants and agrees to defend with covenants of general warranty from horrower, norrower covenants and agrees to defend generally the purchaser's title to the Property against all claims and demands. The recitals in the Trustee's deed shall be grimn facie avidence of the trath of the statements made therein. Trustee shall apply the proceeds of the sale in the following order; (ii) to all expenses of the sale, including, but not limited to, reasonable Trustee's and attorneys' foes; (b) to all sugar secured by this Security Instrument; and (c) any excess to the person or persons legally entitled to it.

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the Property through Borrower shall lumediately surrower or any person holding possession of the Property to the purchaser at that sale. If possession is not surrendered, Borrower or such person shall be a tenant at sufference and may be removed by writ of possession or other court proceeding.

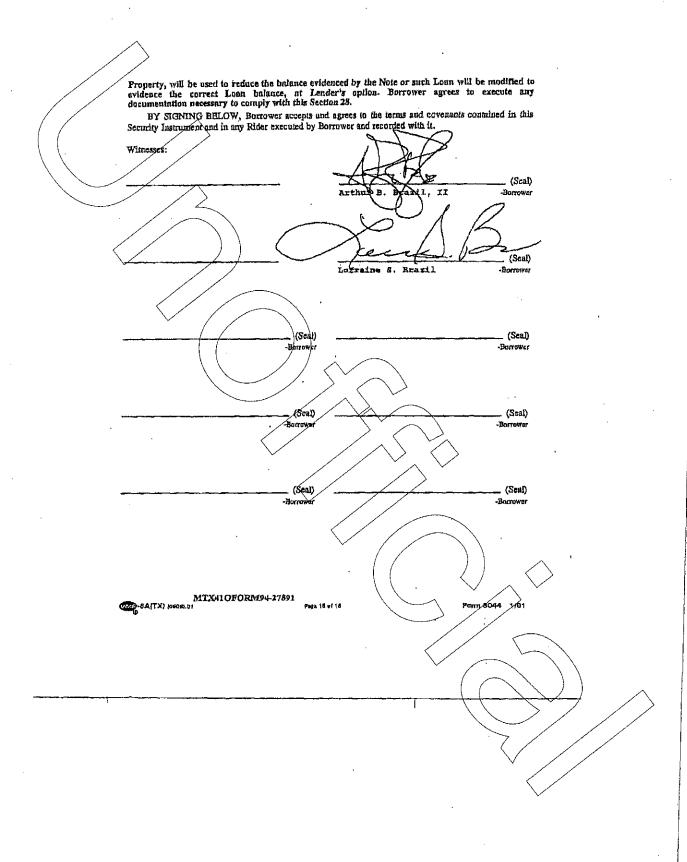
23. Release. Upon payment of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Leader shall provide a release of this Security Instrument to Borrower or Borrower's designated agent in accordance with Applicable Law. Borrower shall pay any recordation costs. Leader may charge Borrower a fee for releasing this Security Instrument, but only if the fee is paid to a third party for services readered and the charging of the fee is permitted under Applicable Law.

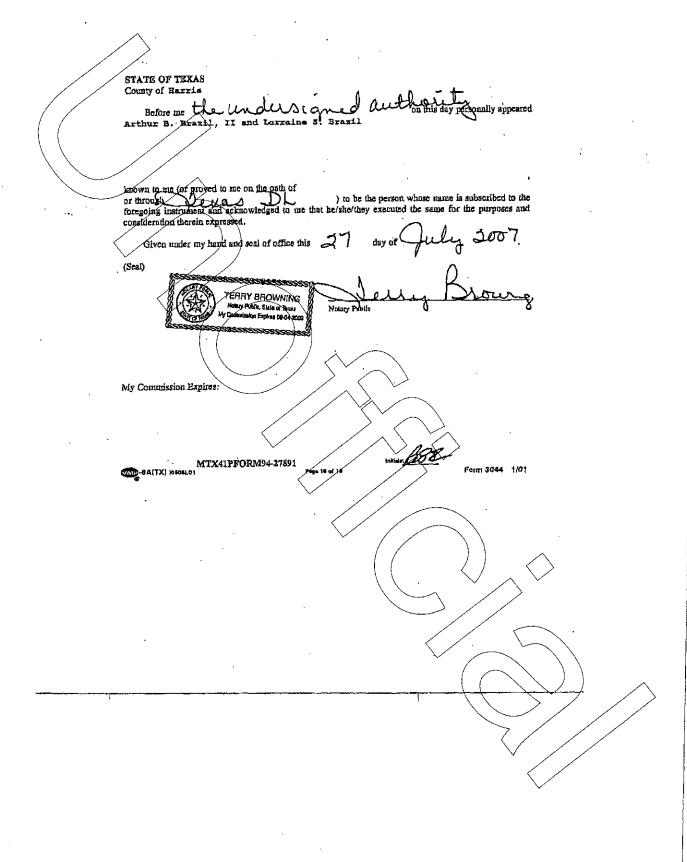
24. Substitute Trustee: Trustee Liability All rights, remedies and duties of Trustee upder this Security Instrument may be exercised or performed by one of more trustees acting alone or together. Lender, at its option and with or without cause, may from time to time, by power of attorney or otherwise, remove or substitute any trustee, add one or more trustees, or appoint a successor trustee to any Trustee without the necessity of any formulity other than a designation by Lepter in writing. Without any further act or conveyance of the Property the substitute, additional or successor trustee shall become vested with the dite, rights, remedies, powers and duties conferred upon Trustee herein and by Applicable Law.

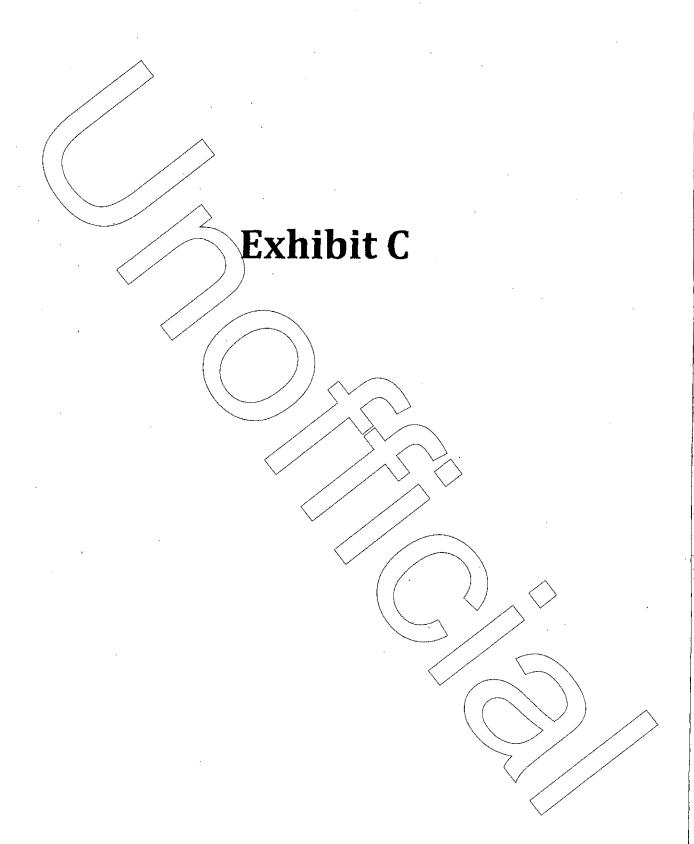
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Trustee shall not be liable if acting upon any notice, request, consent, demand, statement or other document believed by Trustee to be correct. Trustee shall not be liable for any act or omission unless such act or omission is willful. 25. Subrogation. Any of the proceeds of the Note used to take up outstanding lieus against all or any part of the Property have been advanced by Lender at Borrower's request and upon Borrower's representation that such amounts are due and are secured by valid liens against the Property. Lender shall be subrogated to any and all rights, superior titles, liens and equities owned or claimed by any owner or holder of any poistanding liens and debts, regardless of whether said liens or debts are acquired by Lender by assignment or are released by the holder thereof upon payment. 26 Partial Invalidity. In the event any portion of the sums intended to he secured by this Security Instrument cannot be lawfully secured hereby, payments in reduction of such sums shall be applied first to those portions not secured hereby. 27. Purchase Money: Owelty of Partition; Renewal and Extension of Liens Against Homestend Property, Acknowledgment of Cash Advanced Against Non-Homestead Property. Check box as applicable Eurchase Money. The funds advanced to Borrower under the Note were used to pay all or part of the purchase price of the Property. The Note also is primarily secured by the vendor's lien retained in the deed of even dute with this Security Instrument conveying the Property to Borrower, which vendor's lien has been assigned to Lender, this Security Instrument being additional security for such vendor's lien, Owelty of Partition. The Note represents funds advanced by Lender at the special instance and request of Borrower for the purpose of acquiring the entire fee simple title to the Property and the existence of an owally of purition imposed against the entirety of the Property by a quart order or by a written agreement of the parties in the partition to secure the payment of the Note is expressly acknowledged, confessed and granted. Renewal and Extension of Lieus Agalast Homestead Property. The Note is in reserval and extension but not in extinguishment, of the indebtedness described on the attached Renewal and Extension Establic which is incorporated by reference. Lender is expressly subrogated to all rights, lices and remedies securing the original holder of a note evidencing Borrower's indebtedness and the original lices securing the indebtedness are renewed and extended to the date of maturity of the Note in renewal and extension of the indebtedness. Acknowledgment of Cash Advanced Against Non-Homestead Property. The Note represents funds advanced to Borrower on this day at Boyzower's request and Borrower acknowledges receipt of such funds. Borrower states that Borrower does not now and does not intend ever to reside on, use in any manner, or claim the Property secured by this Security Instrument as a business or residential homestead. Borrower discinims all homestead rights, interests and exemptions related to the Property. 28. Loan Not a Home Equity Loan. The Loan evidenced by the Note is not an extension of credit as defined by Section 50(a)(6) or Section 50(a)(7), Article XVI, of the Texas-Constitution. If the Property is used as Borrower's residence, then Borrower agrees that Borrower will receive no cash from the Loan evidenced by the Note and that any advances not necessary to purchase the Property. extinguish an owelty lien, complete construction, or renew and extend a prior lieb against the MTX4INFORM94-27891 OME-BAITX) 100001.01 Form 3044







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#### NOTICE OF [SUBSTITUTE] TRUSTEE'S SALE

Assert and protect your rights as a member of the armed forces of the United States. If you are or your spouse is serving on active military duty, including active military duty as a member of the Texas National Quard or the National Guard of another state or as a member of a reserve component of the armed forces of the United States, please send written notice of the active duty military service to the sender of this potice immediately.

1, Date. Time, and Place of Sale.

February 05, 2013

Time: The sale will begin at 1:00PM or not later than three hours after that time.

FORT BEND COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER PARKING GARAGE. IN LEVEL I AT THE Place SOUTH END, WEST CORNER, NEAR STAIRWAY "B" OR AS DESIGNATED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS or as designated by the county commissioners.

- 2. Terms of Sale. Cash.
- 3. Instrument to be Forestosed. The instrument to be foreclosed is the Deed of Trust or Contract Lien dated July 27, 2007 and recorded in Document-CLERK'S FILE NO. 2007095173 real property records of FORT BEND County, Toxas, with ARTHUR B BRAZIL II AND LORRAINE S BRAZIL, grantor(s) and MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS") AS NOMINEE, mortgages.
- 4. Obligations Secured. Deed of Trust or Contract Lien executed by ARTHUR B BRAZIL II AND LORRAINE S BRAZIL, securing the payment of the indebtednesses in the original principal amount of \$117,120,00, and obligations therein described including but not limited to the promissory note and all modifications, renewals and extensions of the promissory note, BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. is the current mortgagee of the note and Deed of Trust or Contract Lien.
- 5. Property to Be Sold. The property to be sold is described as follows:

LOT PIPTEEN (15), IN BLOCK ONE (1), OF SIENNA VILLAGE OF ANDERSON SPRINGS, SECTION SIX (6), A SUBDIVISION IN PORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED UNDER PLAT FILE NO. 2006020 OF THE PLAT RECORDS OF FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS.

6. Mortgage Servicer Information. The Mortgage Servicer is authorized to represent the Mortgagee by virtue of a servicing agreement with the Mortgagee, Pursuant to the Servicing Agreement and Texas Property Code § 51,0025, the Mortgage Servicer is authorized to collect the debt and to administer any resulting foreclosure of the llen securing the Property referenced above. BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP, as Mortgage Servicer, is representing the current mortgagee, whose address is:

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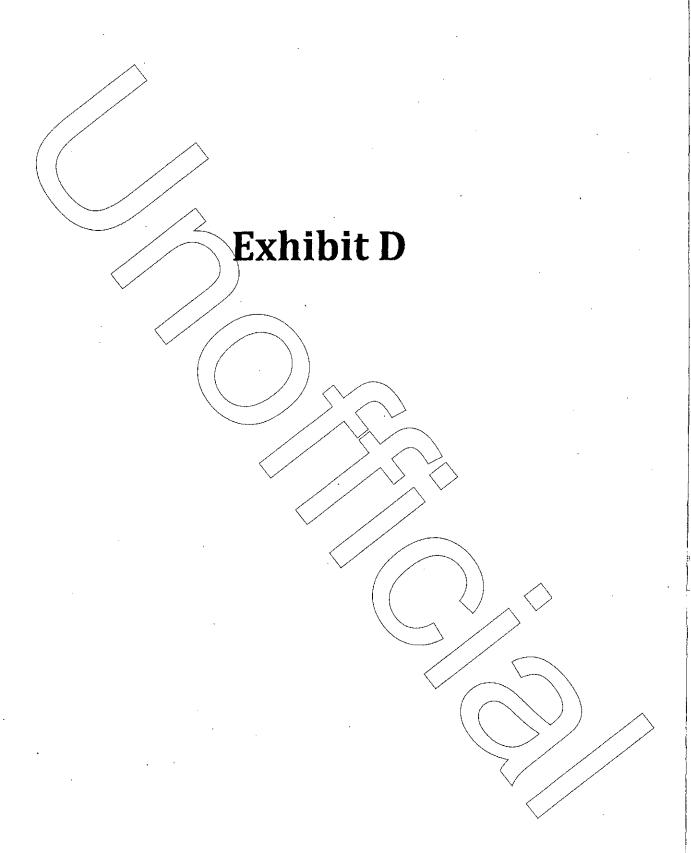
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ARTHUR B, II & L'ORRAINE S' BRAZIL 9818 WILLIAMS BEND CT MISSOURI CITY, TX 77459-8279

Notice Date: January 20, 2012

Account No.: 172433795

**Property Address:** 7206 FRANCISCAN CT MISSOURI CITY, TX 77459

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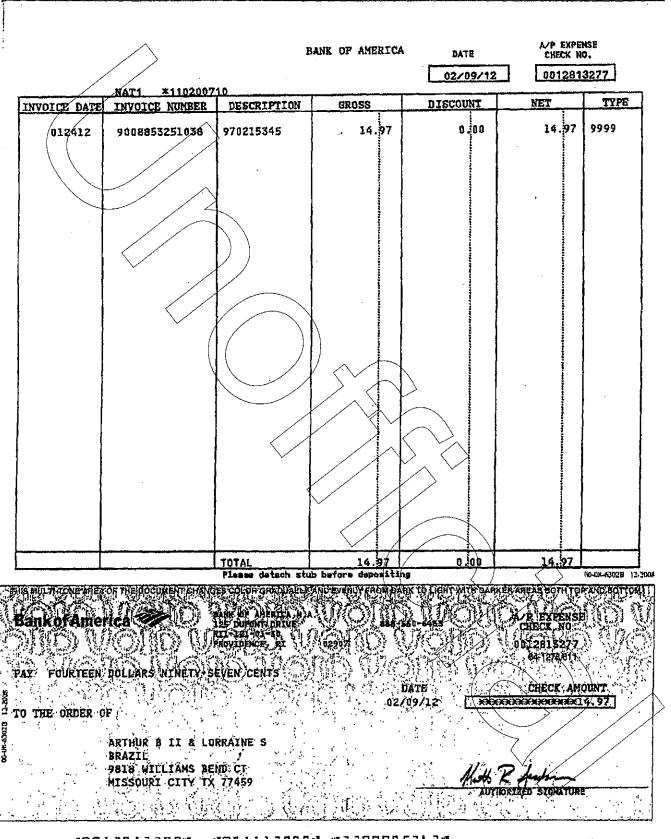
We are pleased to inform you that during a recent review of your loan, we discovered an overage in the amount of \$14.97. This overage is a result of an overpayment of fees on your loan. We are mailing a refund check in the amount of \$14.97 and you should receive your check within ten business days.

If you have any questions or need additional assistance, please call us at 1.800,669,6077, Monday - Friday 7 a.m. - 10 p.m. Eastern. We appreciate the opportunity to serve your home loan needs.

Home Loan Team Bank of America, N.A.

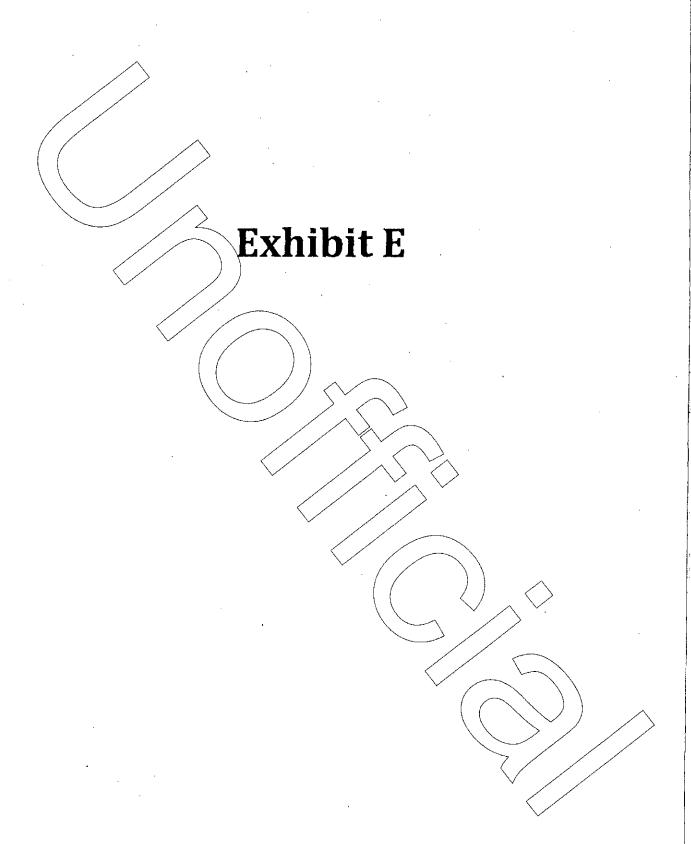
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ROME LOAN SUMMARY

Home loan overview as of 03/18/2012 Principal Balance

\$91,254.78

Amount due on 04/01/2012 as of 09/18/2012

Home losn payment due 04/01/2012

\$1,052,85 \$52.89

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Bank of America, N.A. PO BOX 650070 DALLAS, TX 75265-0070 Payment due Apr 1, 2812

If payment received after Apr 16, 2012

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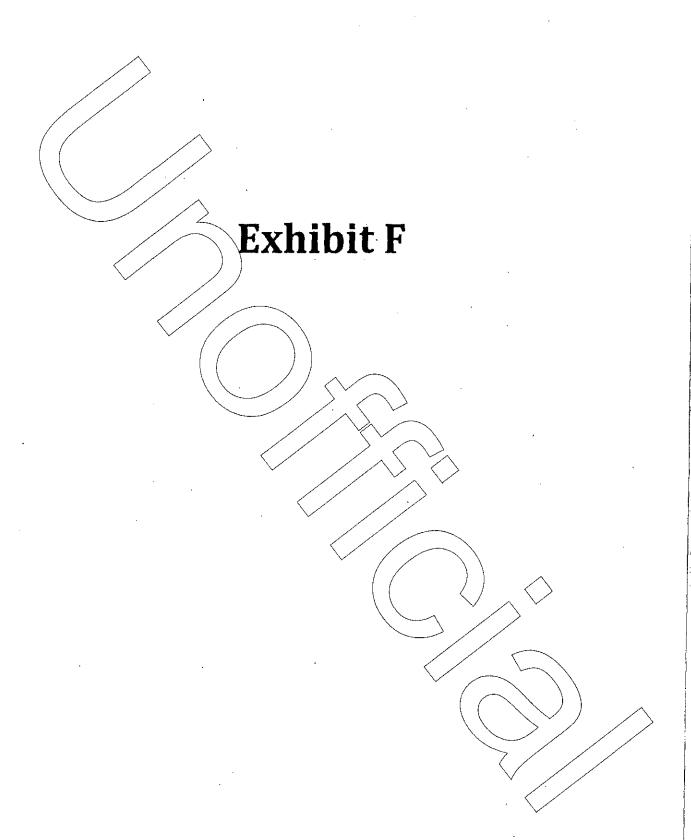
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May 21, 2012

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RE: Montgage Servicer;

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS

SERVICING, LP

Loan No.;

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BDFTE No.: 20120031402880.

This law firm represents BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP, the Mortgage Servicer, in its mortgage banking activities in the State of Texas. We have been authorized by the Mortgage Servicer is initiate legal proceedings in connection with the foreclosure of a Deed of Trust associated with your real estate loan (the "Debt").

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP is acting as the Mortgage Servicer for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP, FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP, who is the Mortgage of the Note and Deed of Trust associated with the above referenced loan. BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP, as Mortgage Servicer, is representing the Mortgage, whose address is:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP, FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP

c/o Bank of America, n.a., as successor by merger to bac home Loans servicing, LP PTX-C-52

PTX-C-32 7105 CORPORATE PLANO, TX 75024

The Mortgage Servicer is authorized to represent the Mortgagee by virtue of a servicing agreement with the Mortgagee. Pursuant to the Servicing Agreement and Texas Property Code \$51.0025, the Mortgage Servicer is authorized to collect the debt and to administer any resulting three-losure of the property securing the above referenced loan.

This letter is formal notice of the following:

- Payment of the past due balance on the Debt has not been received by the Mongage Servicer. Because of this default, the
  Mongage has elected to ACCELERATE the maturity of the Debt.
- 2. The amount of the Debt as of the date of this notice, according to the records of the Mortgage Servicer, is \$103,593.46.

  Because of interest and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. If you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check, in which event we will inform you before depositing the check for collection. For further information, write or call the Foreclosure Department of this firm at (972) 419-1163. Payment must be made in certified funds, cashier's check or money order(s).
- As designated on the enclosed Notice of Trustee's Sale, the Trustee, or the Substitute Trustee, will sell the real estate therein described to the highest bidder for cash.
- 4. All of the obligors and guarantors (if any) of the Debt have the right to reinstate the loan as provided in the Deed of Trust and a provided by Texas law. You may obtain reinstatement figures by calling the Foreclosure Department of this firm at (972) 419-1163.
- 5. All of the obligors and guarantors (if any) have the right to bring a court action to assert the non-existence of a default of any other defense to acceleration and foreclosure which they may have.

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT THE DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Federal law gives you thirty (30) days after you receive this letter to dispute the validity of the Debt or any part thereof. If you don't dispute the Debt within that period, this firm will assume that the Debt is valid. If you do dispute the Debt by notifying this firm in writing, the firm will obtain and mall verification of the Debt to you. If within the same period, you request in writing the name and address of the original mortgagee, and if the original mortgagee is different from the current mortgages, this firm will furnish you with that information.

The law does not require this firm to wait until the end of the thirty-day period before taking action to collect the Debt. If, however, you have requested verification of the Debt or the name and address of the original mortgages within the time stated above, this firm will cease collection activities until such requested information has been malled to you.

Assert and protect your rights as a member of the armed forces of the United States. It you are or your spouse is serving on active military duty, including active military duty as a member of the Texas National Guard of another state or as a member of a reserve component of the armed forces of the United States, please send written notice of the active duty military service to the sender of this notice immediately.

If you are not obligated on the Debt, or if the Debt has been discharged in a bankruptcy proceeding, the Mortgage Servicer is no attempting to collect from you personally. You are being given this notice as a courtesy because your interest in the Real Estate may be affected,

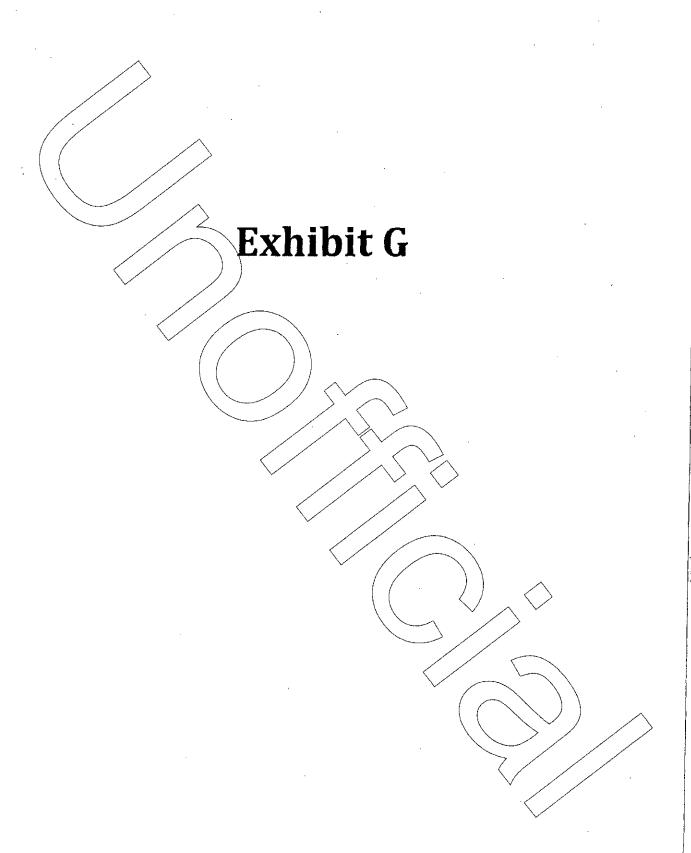
Sincerely,

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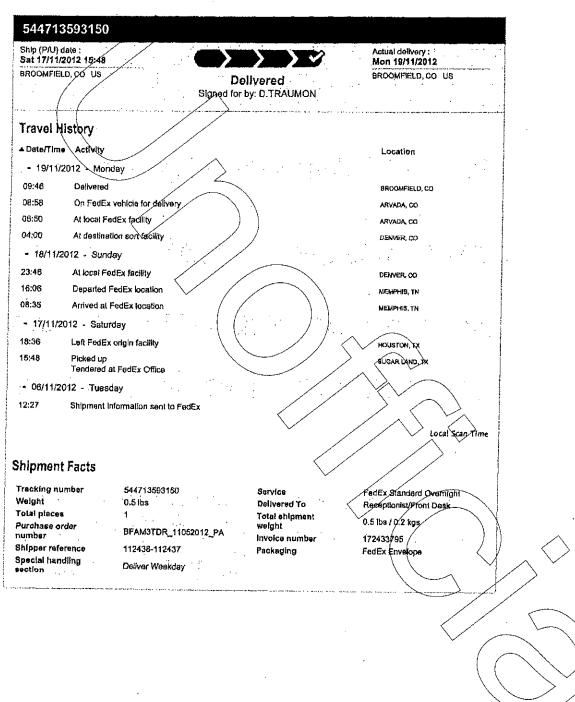
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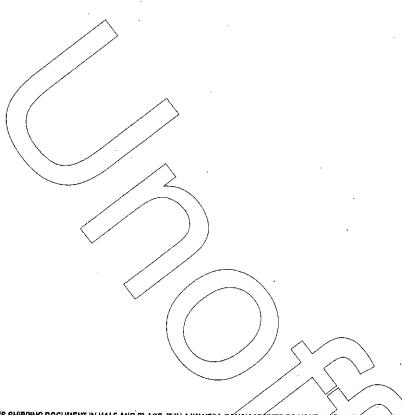
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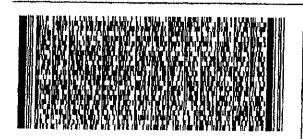
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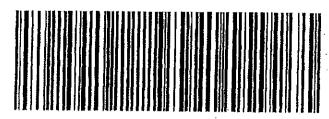
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You're on your way toward an affordable mortgage payment.

Please contact us by 11/20/2012 or make your first trial period payment if you intend to accept our offer.



November 6, 2012

ARTHUR B BRAZIL II LORRAINE S BRAZIL 7206 FRANCISCAN CT MISSOURI CITY, TX-77459 Loan Number: 172433795

Dear ARTHUR B BRAZIL II and LORRAINE S BRAZIL:

Your mortgage is seriously delinquent. We have tried to contact you to discuss foreclosure prevention options that may be available, but time is running out. To avoid foreclosure, you must contact us.

Based on an estimate of your home's value, you are approved to enter into a Trial Period Plan for a mortgage loan modification. This is the next step toward qualifying for affordable and sustainable mortgage payments. Please read this letter so that you understand all the steps you need to take to permanently modify your mortgage.

To suspend foreclosure, you must respond by 11/20/2012

To prevent your loan from starting the foreclosure process of to suspend foreclosure if that process has already begun, you must notify us by 11/20/2012 of your intent to accept this trial offer through one of the following options:

- Sign and return the enclosed Intent to Accept Trial Offer form using the prepaid envelope provided
- · Make your first trial payment

#### To accept this offer

Acceptance of the trial offer requires you to make your first trial period payment by no later than 12/01/2012. Even if you contact us or respond by returning the above referenced intent to Accept Trial Offer form, you must also send your first trial payment by the requested date to accept this offer. You must pay the exact amount of your Trial Period Plan payments instead of your normal monthly mortgage payments.

Send in your monthly Trial Period Plan payments — instead of your normal monthly mortgage payments — as follows:

	Trial Period Plan	
1 <sup>st</sup> payment:	\$1,215;53	by 12/01/2012
2 <sup>nd</sup> payment:		by 01/01/2013
3rd payment:	\$1,215.53	by 02/01/2013

#### What you need to do next

- It is important that you carefully review the Frequently Asked Questions and Additional Trial Period Plan Information and Legal Notices information attached.
- Make each of the above payments on time and in the amount shown. Payment coupons are included in this
  package if you wish to send your payment in the mail, or you can call 1.800.669.0102 and we can deduct your
  payment directly from your checking account, if applicable. (There are no fees to make your payment by phone
  during the trial period.)
- After you make all trial period payments on time, and if you continue to meet all of the eligibility requirements of your modification program, your mortgage will be permanently modified. Please pay the specific amounts shown above because paying a different amount could make you ineligible for a permanent modification. We must receive each payment on time and in the month in which it is due. If you miss a payment or do not comply with any of the other terms of your trial period, this offer will end and your mortgage loan will not be modified under this offer. If your last trial period payment is made in the last half of the month it is due, we may extend your Trial Period Plan by an extra month.



- Once you have successfully made each of the payments above by their due dates, you have submitted two signed copies of your modification agreement, and we have signed the modification agreement, your mortgage will be permanently modified in accordance with the terms of your modification agreement.
- Please Note: We may be able to offer you a permanent modification with a lower monthly payment. If you would like to be evaluated for this option, we need you to provide us with your financial and hardship information (Borrower Response Package). The enclosed Homeowner Checklist provides step-by-step instructions on what documentation we need from you. Please send your Borrower Response Package with the requested information by 11/20/2012. We have included a pre-paid envelope for your convenience.
- This is your final opportunity to qualify for a permanent modification of your mortgage loan, so please contact us by the requested date to let us know you are accepting the trial offer.

Please note that except for the reduction of your monthly mortgage payment amount during the trial period, all other terms and provisions of your existing mortgage loan remain in effect and will not change until your loan is permanently modified.

If you have any questions, please call 1.800.669.0102. If you cannot afford the Trial Period Plan payments above or if you have decided to leave your home, please call 1.800.669.0102 to discuss other options that may be available to avoid foreclosure.

If you are currently in a bankruptcy probeeding, or have previously obtained a discharge of this debt under applicable bankruptcy law, this notice is for informational purposes only and is not a demand for payment, an attempt to collect a debt or an attempt to impose personal liability for any discharged debt.

We are glad you have been approved for a Trial Period Plan offer. Start today by making your first trial period payment,

Home Loan Team Bank of America, N.A.

Bank of America Home Loans

Enclosures: (1) Frequently Asked Questions (2) Additional Trial Period Plan Information and Legal Notices (3) Intent to Accept Trial Offer form (4) Payment Coupons (5) Information on Avoiding Forestosure (6) Homeowner Checklist (7) Uniform Borrower Assistance Form (8) IRS Form 4506-T (9) Non-Borrower Credit Authorization Form (10) Blank IRS Form 4506-T for Non-Borrowers (11) Prepaid envelope

Bank of America, N.A. is required by law to inform you that this communication is from a debt collector. However, the purpose of this communication is to let you know about your potential eligibility for a loan modification program that may help you bring or keep your loan current through affordable payments.

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Loan Number: 172433795

Dear Bank of America:

Please accept this as notification that Intend to accept the Trial Plan Offer dated 12/01/2012. I understand this notice serves only to request suspension of foreclosure activity. To fully accept the Trial Period Plan offer, I must make the first trial payment by the payment on or before due date. I also understand that I may make the payment early, but fallure to make the first trial payment by the due date will result in cancellation of the Trial Plan Offer. If the Trial Plan Offer is cancelled, my mortgage will not be modified under this offer and foreclosure activity will continue.

This letter is to inform Bank of America, M.A. of my/our intent to accept the Trial Period Plan offer.

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LORRAINE S BRAZIL Signature

Date

**Date** 

Reminder about suspending foreclosure

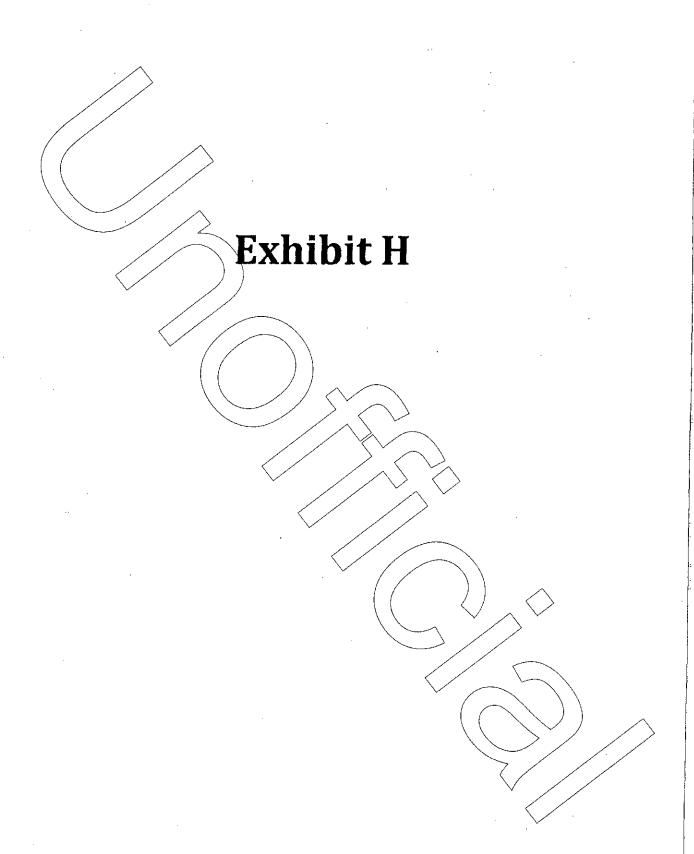
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- Make your first trial payment

Please Note: If we do not receive your acceptance to this trial offer by one of the options above by 11/20/2012, we can only accept the first trial payment in certified funds to prevent foreclosure. This payment must still be made by the first payment due date noted below and your remaining trial payments can be paid by theck/money order or deducted directly from your checking account, if applicable.

Additionally, if you have a scheduled foreclosure sale date and take the steps to accept this offer (as described above), Bank of America will make every effort to work with the investor on your loan and the foreclosure court to postpone your sale. However, in some cases, the court with jurisdiction over the foreclosure proceeding (if any) or public official charged with carrying out the sale or the investor on your loan may not halt the scheduled sale.

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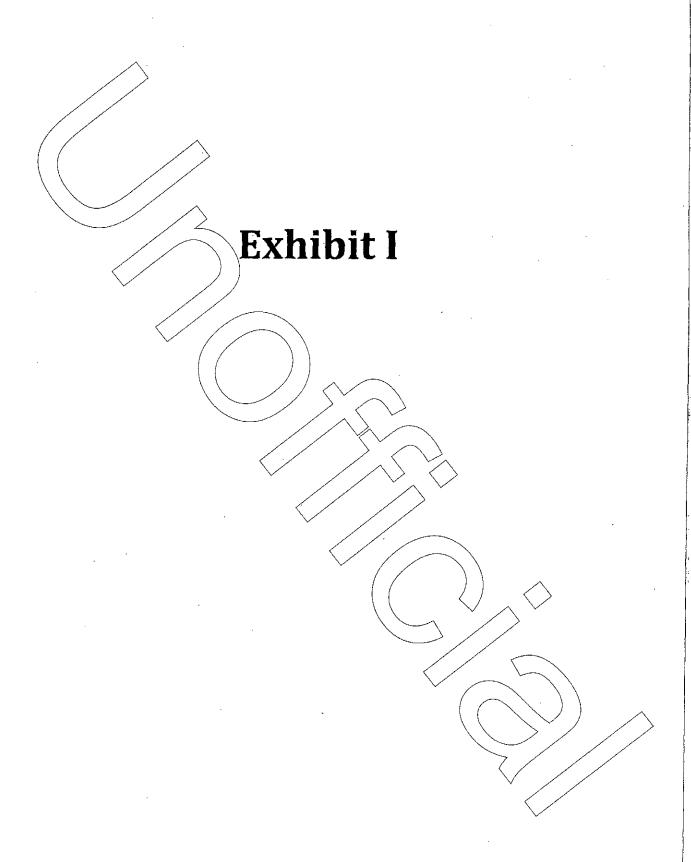
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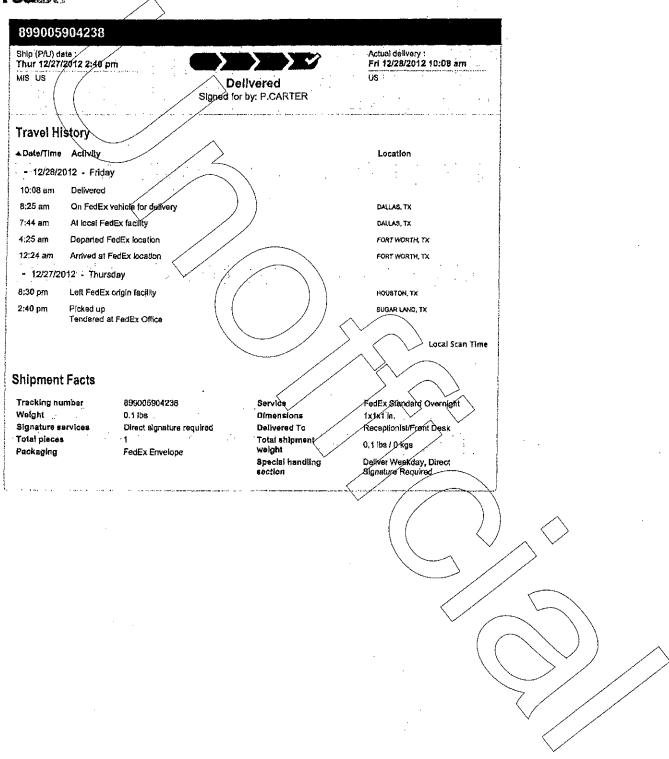
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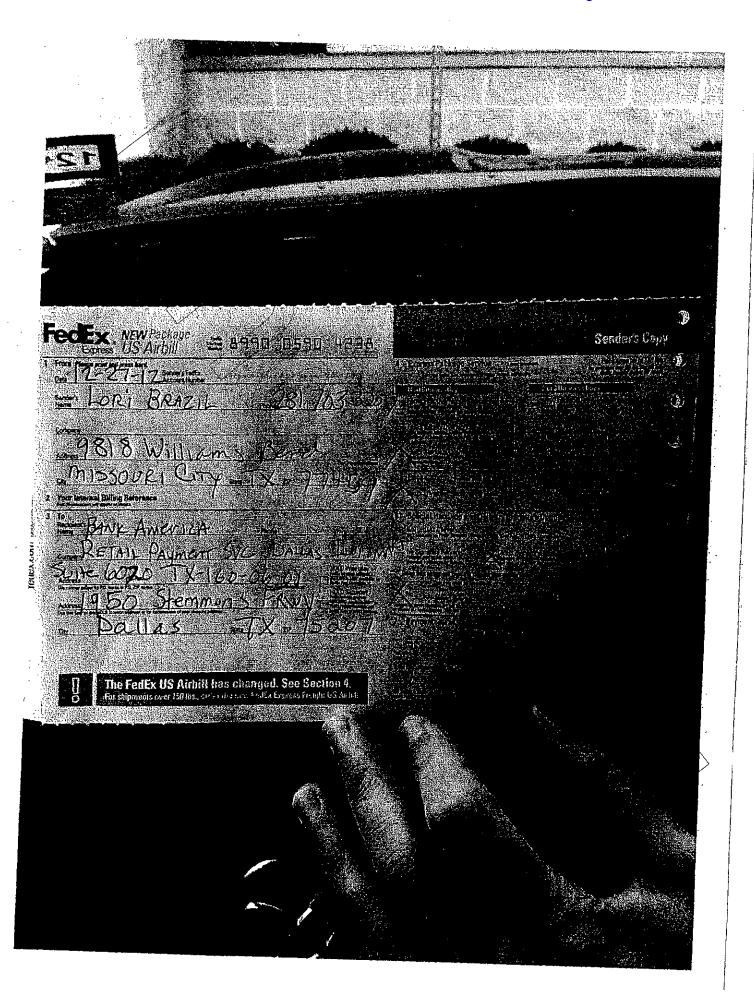


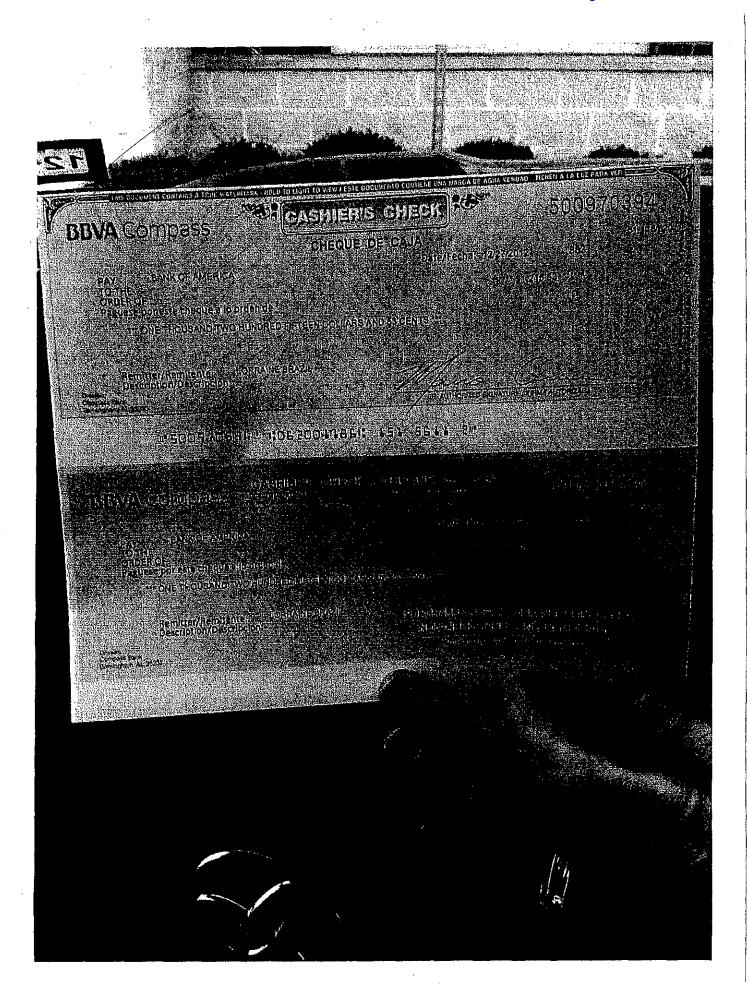
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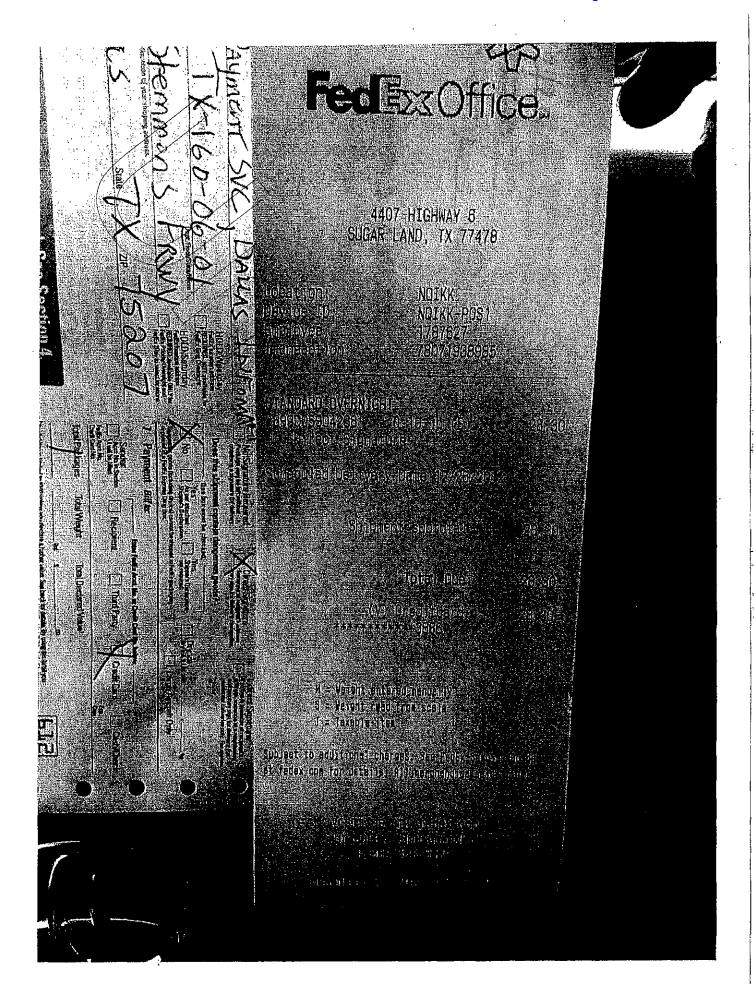
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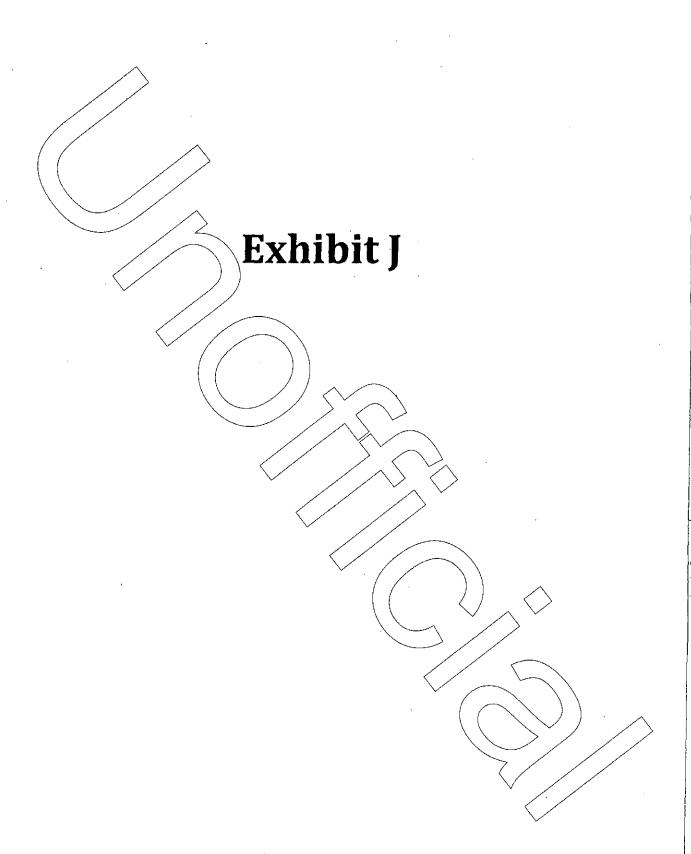
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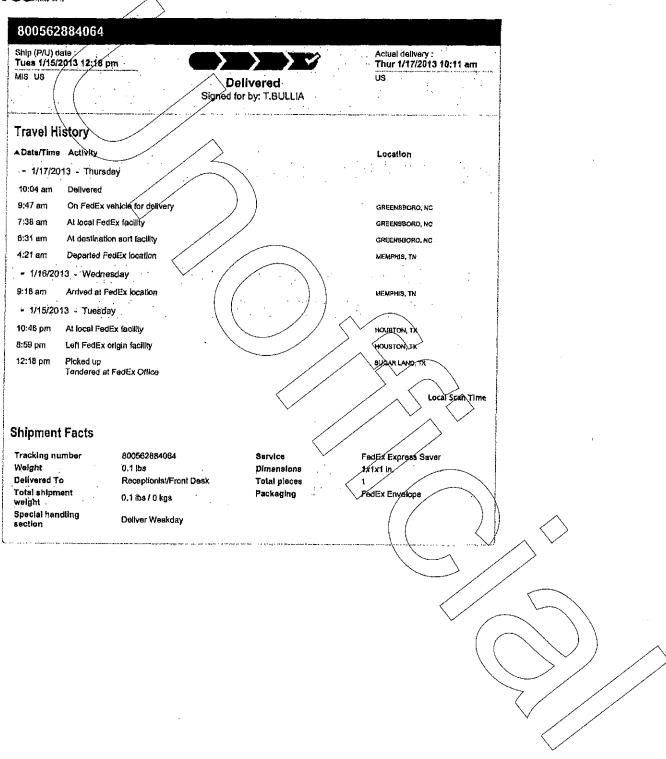


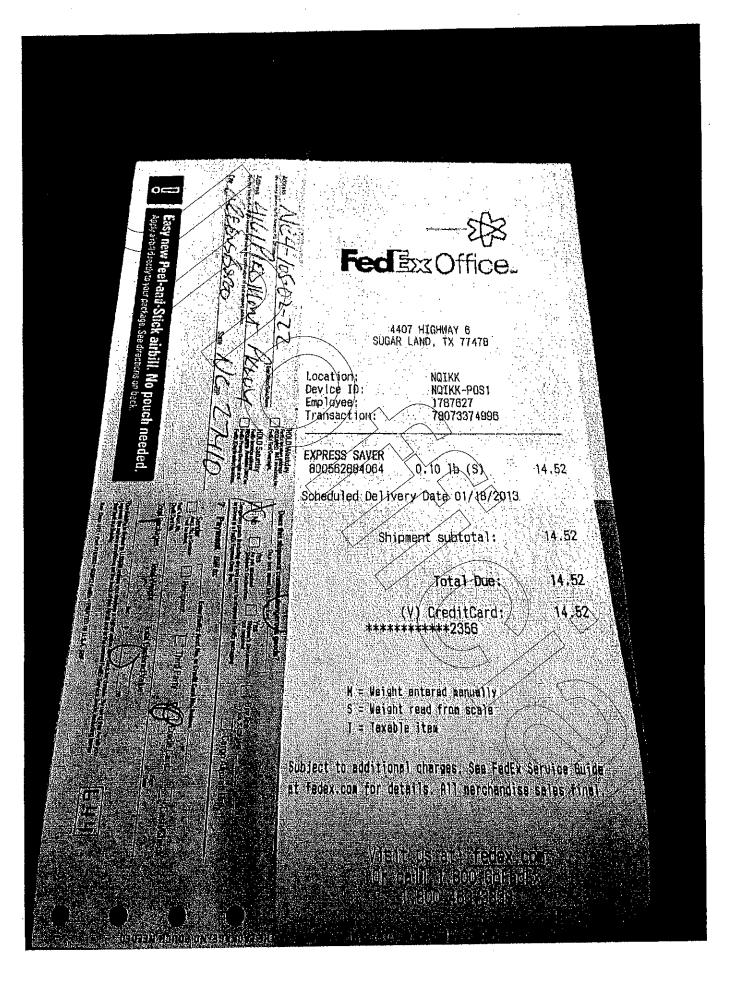


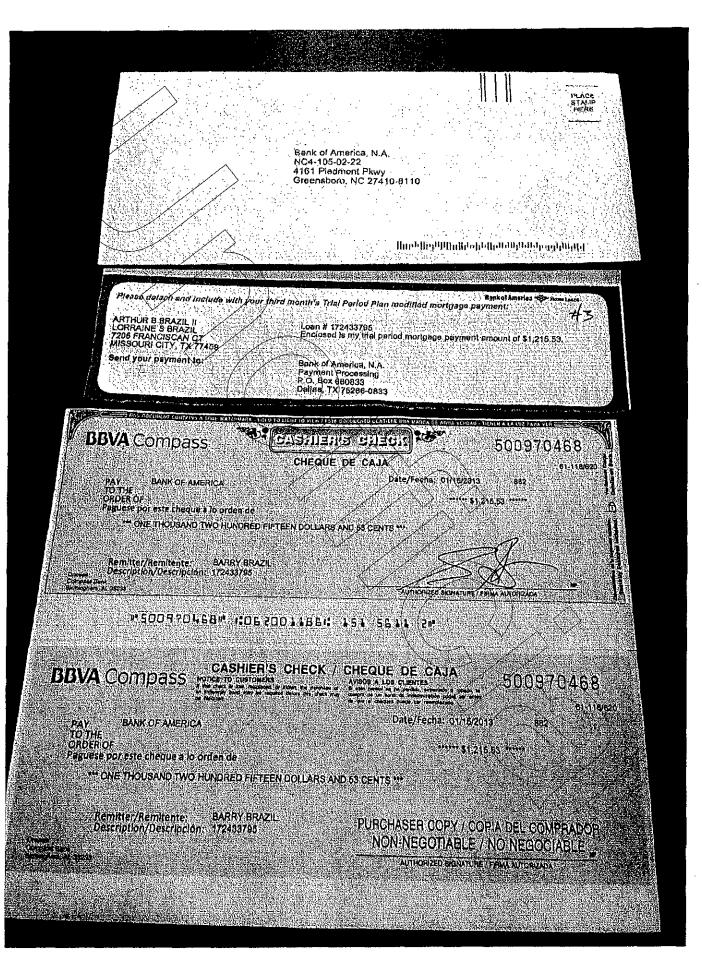
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## CIVIL CASE INFORMATION SHEET

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A civil case information sheet must be completed and submitted when an original petition or application is filed to initiate a new civil, family law, probate, or mental health case or when a post-judgment motion for modification or enforcement is filed in a family law case. The information should be the best available at the time of filing. This sheet, approved by the Texas Judicial Council, is intended to collect information that will be used for statistical purposes only. It neither replaces nor supplements the filings or service of pleading or other documents as required by law or rule. The sheet does not constitute a discovery request, response, or

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### CAUSE NO. 13-DCV-204362

ARTHUR B. BRAZIL, II & SIN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LORRAINE S. BRAZIL,

Plaintiffs,

V. SFORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,

Defendant.

\$ 434<sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT

## **DEFENDANT'S ORIGINAL ANSWER AND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES**

Defendant Bank of America, N.A. ("Defendant") files its Original Answer and Affirmative Defenses to Plaintiffs' Original Petition and Request for Disclosures (the "Original Petition") and respectfully shows the Court the following:

#### **GENERAL DENIAL**

1. Pursuant to Rule 92 of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure Defendant generally denies each and every claim, charge, and allegation contained in Plaintiffs' Original Petition, and requests that the Court require Plaintiffs to prove their claims by a preponderance of the credible evidence.

### AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES

- 2. Plaintiffs' claims are barred in whole or in part by their failure to perform their obligations under the promissory note and deed of trust.
  - 3. Plaintiffs' claims are barred in whole or in part by the economic loss doctrine.
- 4. Plaintiffs' claims are barred in whole or in part because Defendant's conduct was not the producing cause of Plaintiffs' alleged losses, damages, and/or injuries.

5. Plaintiffs lack standing to assert claims under the Texas Deceptive Trade Practices Act ("DTPA") because Plaintiffs are not consumers as that term is defined in the DTPA.

6. Plaintiffs lack standing to assert claims under the Texas Debt Collection Act because Plaintiffs cannot show the indebtedness at issue was acquired for consumer purposes.

7. Plaintiffs are not entitled to treble or exemplary damages because the sole basis for liability, if any, against Defendant is contractual in nature.

8. Plaintiffs are not entitled to their attorneys' fees.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Bank of America, N.A. respectfully prays that Plaintiffs take nothing by reason of the claims as alleged and for such other and further relief to which this Court deems it to be justly entitled.

Respectfully submitted,

McGlinchey Stafford, PLLC

By: /s/ Sharon Sulami

State Bar No. 20549500

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1001 McKinney, Suite 1500

Houston, Texas 77002

Telephone (713) 520-1900

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Attorneys for Defendant Bank of America, N.A.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was forwarded to the following on this the 20th day of March, 2013.

## Via Facsimile (713) 595-8201

Robert C. Lane
Anh Thu N. Dinh
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